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The Best and Worst of 1996
A Year In Review

At the Olympics in Atlanta, Michael Johnson became the first man to win both the 400 and 200 meters, setting a new world record of 19.32 seconds in the 200 meters. American athletes won the most medals-101 in all.

John F. Kennedy Jr. and Carolyn Bessette got married as fashion watchers gushed over her dress and style.

After maintaining a wide lead over Sen. Bob Dole throughout the entire campaign, Bill Clinton was reelected as President of the U.S.-the first Democrat since FDR to win a second term.

Ted Kaczynski, a former professor who lived as a recluse in Montana was arrested in the search for the Unabomber.

The New York Yankees made baseball history by winning four games straight after losing the first two at home and capturing the World Series title from the Atlanta Braves.

From BusinessWeek magazine a recent poll shows which inventions the average American could not live without:

Invention	%
Car	63%
Lightbulb	54%
Telephone	42%
T.V.	22%
Aspirin	19%
P.C.	7.6%

Mel Gibson's Braveheart won the Oscar for Best Picture while Gibson won for Best Director.

In a tight match against the Russians, the US Women's Gymnastics team won its first Olympic gold.

Dancer Gene Kelly, Commerce Secretary Ron Brown, singer Ella Fitzgerald, and comedian George Burns passed away this year.

7 year old Jessica Dubroff was trying to set a world record as the youngest person to fly across the US when her plane crashed over Cheyenne Wyo., during a storm.

For the first time ever, a man was the grand prize winner in the Pillsbury Bake-Off Contest winning $1 million in prize money.

Led by Michael Jordan, the Chicago Bulls won a record 62 regular games and their fourth NBA Championship.

President Clinton signed into law a welfare reform bill that ends guarantees of federal checks to the poor for as long as they need them while prodding welfare clients to find jobs.

Jonathan Prevette, 6, kissed a girl on the cheek and received a 1 day suspension from his N.C. school. School officials termed the incident sexual harassment.

Madonna had a baby girl with Carlos Leon.

4 ... Opening

Begin at the beginning and go on till you come to the end-then stop. Lewis Carroll

18 ... Homecoming

I shall return. Douglas McArthur

34... Students

For us, there is only the trying. The rest is not our business. T.S. Eliot

54... Faculty/Staff/Administration

I gave commands; all smiling stopped together. Robert Browning

66... Clubs

To know is nothing at all; to imagine is everything. Anatole France

98... Sports

This is the thing that I was born to do. Samuel Daniel

114 ... Activities

Variety is the spice of life. William Cowper

132 ... Carey on the Coast

169 ... New Orleans

Through the Years

"It is sir as I have said, a small college, and yet there are those who love it." Daniel Webster.

Friendly faces, smaller classes, caring teachers ... There are many reasons why William Carey College is the college of choice for its many students. Sometimes, though, in the pursuit of a degree, these important factors often go unnoticed and unappreciated. Nevertheless, in today's hustle and bustle, the campus remains just as caring as its founders intended it to be.

Ninety years ago, a dream was realized when the founders of this college envisioned a school of excellence. A school which instilled in its students strong Christian morals while maintaining an academic standard of excellence.

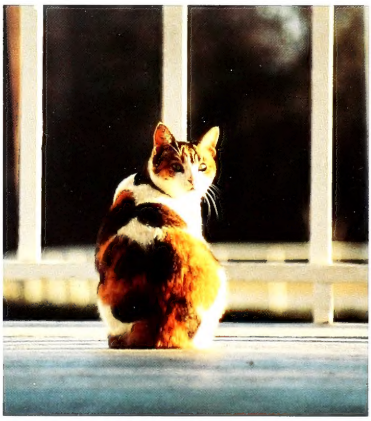
On this, William Carey College's 90th anniversary, please pay attention to the "Through the Years" inserts as we try to give an insight into the beginnings of the college as we know it today, as well as new developments happening right before our eyes. We sincerely hope that you enjoy this edition of the Crusader!!

Lee Stauter

The brand new William Carey College license plate.

Crystal Hopkins and Lacy McIntosh start off a great year by attending the BSU Survival Weekend.

Dr. Crockett thinks Dr. Browning is A Okay!



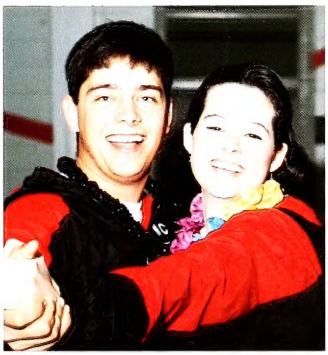
The ever present Johnson/Ross Hall cat.

Wendi Watts spends time with a special friend at Priority Lunch.

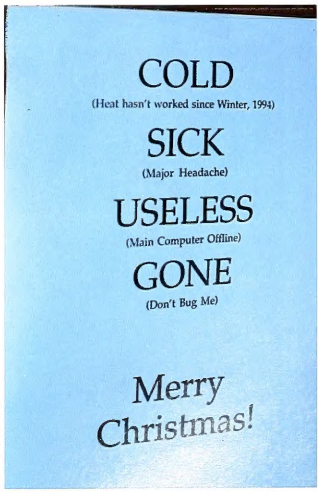
Kurt Hale had a great time at the '96 SGA Mud Bowl.

Cindy Glaze was "spotted" on her way to a Gamma Chi Halloween function.

Mary Beth Douglas is happy to help the freshman move into Bass Hall.



Buddy Knott and Charla Jeter enjoy a tango at the SGA Luau.



Dr. Browning is full of Christmas spirit.

William Carey College

William Carey College has not always been as we know it today. Almost a century ago, the State Baptist Convention formed a committee and charged them with the responsibility of looking into the possibility of establishing a women's college. A year later at the next Convention meeting, the report submitted by this committee was indecisive and the matter was dropped entirely. About the same time, a co-ed junior college called South Mississippi College was formed in the southwestern part of Hattiesburg. The school was quite successful for several years until it was forced to close after a fire destroyed its administration building. The property was then bought by a prominent Methodist layman, Mr. W.S.F. Tatum, Mr. Tatum's goal was to begin a Methodist Woman's College but he did not succeed. He then offered the property to the four Baptist churches of Hattiesburg, under the condition that they would establish and run a school for women for at least five years. With much enthusiasm, the proposition was accepted, and the first session of school began in September of 1911. In November of that same year, the Baptist churches of Hattiesburg realized that they had tackled a task which they were not fully prepared to handle. At that year's Convention meeting, they offered the school to the Convention. The Conventnion accepted the task, and the Mississippi Woman's College was begun.

At that time, the campus only had two buildings and it was very difficult to run a school despite an enrollment of only 75 students. By 1914, enrollment had doubled and it became evident that a new administration building was needed. For this project, Mr. Tatum made another generous donation. Our present administration building, Tatum Court, was then built. In March of 1919, another of the original buildings, O'Briant Hall, was destroyed by fire. With $200,000 raised by the city of Hattiesburg and the Baptist Education Commission, Ross and Johnson Halls were built along with a dining hall that no longer stands. In 1922, the Mary Ross Hospital was built and now houses the Business Department.

From these humble beginnings, there have been several new additions to the campus: Lawerence Hall, Crawford Hall, two men's dorms, Bass Hall, the cafeteria and student center, the book store and post office, Green Science Hall, I.E. Rouse Library, Thomas Fine Arts Building, Fairchild Hall, a gym, Thomas Business Building, and the Chain Prayer Garden. Even now our school continues to grow as it has done through the years.

Tatum Court in 1926.

An areial view of campus from 1958.

Downtown Hattiesburg in 1913.

A view of Tatum Court before Thomas Fine Arts was built.

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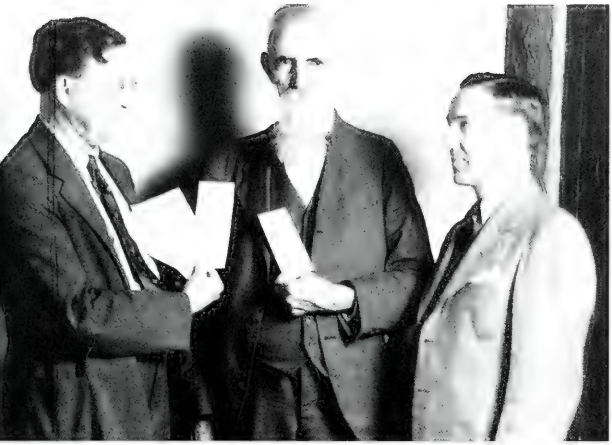


Mr. Tatum (center) donated the land for the college.

The gate with Tatum Court in the background.

A Senior tea held in front of the "model home" for the Domestic Science classes.

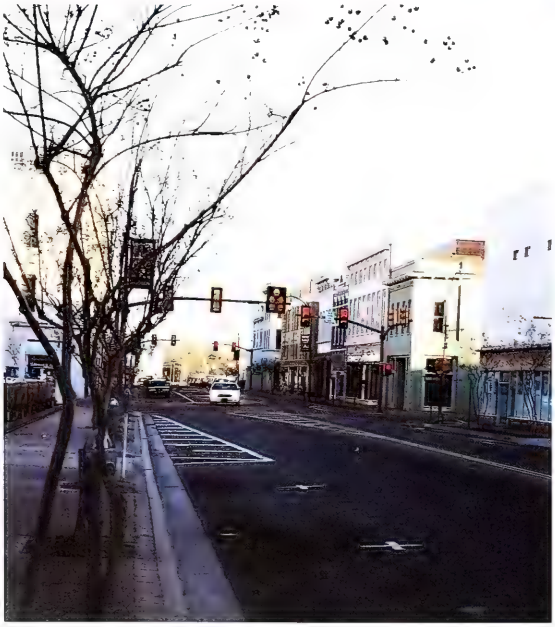
The Old Mississippi Women's College consisted of Tatum Court (now shown), 2 women's dorm[illegible] Mary Ross Hospital (right).

A view of Tatum from 1913 with Ross Hall to the side.

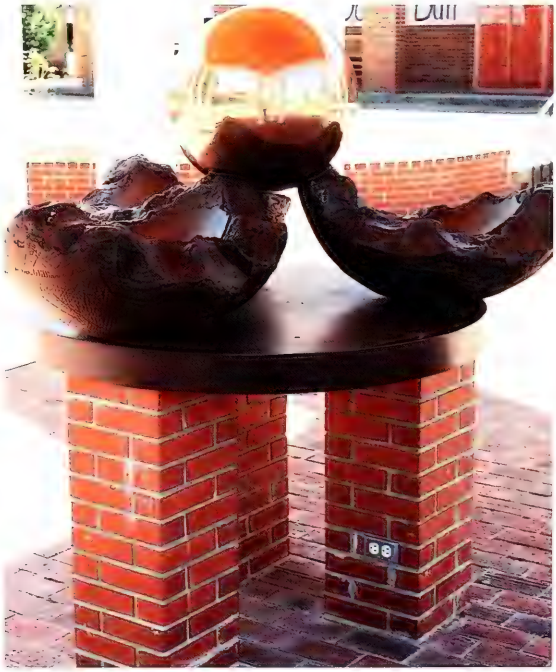
William Carey Now

The entrance to WCC now.

Tatum Court in 1997.



Downtown Hattiesburg in 1997.



"Genesis," one of the newest additions to campus.

Tatum Court lit up for Christmas.

Crawford Hall is now the location of the Alumni Offices.

A view of the pond located between Bass Hall and Thomas Business Building.

(Above) The archway and fountain in Chain Prayer Garden.
(Right) Fairchild Hall houses the education Department.

Student Life

No matter how you look at it, the Student Body is the heart of William Carey College. In 1912, 75 students filled the halls of Mississippi Woman's College. All levels of education were taught here, from kindergarten to the Senior year. Around 1920, the school decided to standardize its education and dropped all levels below that of the Freshman.

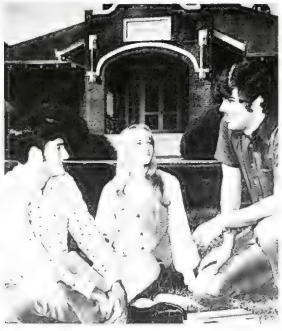
Now, nearly 3100 students roam the halls of William Carey College. The school is now co-ed, and there are students from 29 nations and 33 states. No matter what the year or activity, the students will always remain the heart and life of William Carey College.

MWC cheerleaders from 1924.

Two WCC students from 1955.

MWC students from 1935.

S.M. "Happy" White, Director of Public Relations 1955.



Junior class officers from 1972.

William Carey College football team from 1955.

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WCC students in 1959.

WCC student from 1982.

1990 Crawfish Boil.

1955 Sophomore class officers.

1985 Young Democrats.

Cecil Jenkins, a 1985 WCC student.

Most [illegible] Ms. Meid[illegible]

Student Life Now

1996 Mud Bowl participants.

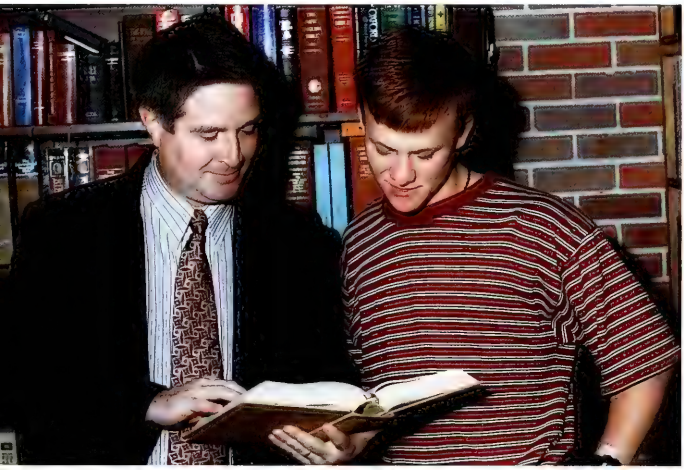
Amanda Hughes enjoys a few minutes to herself.

Shannon Roberts, Rebecca Dockens, and Kristie Kelly enjoy the Bonfire during Homecoming.

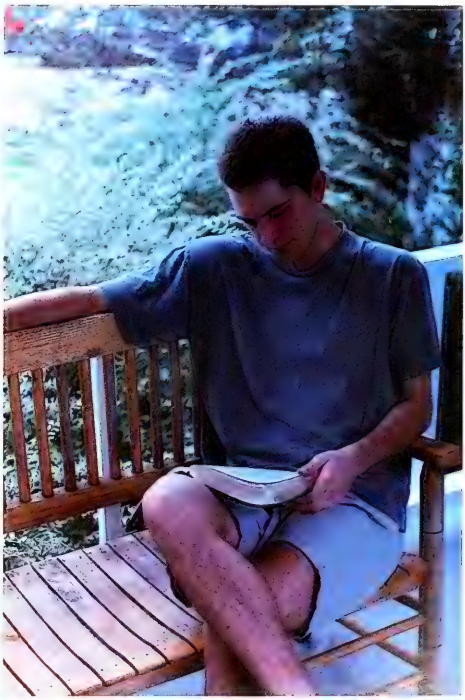
Kelton Pope and Tony Minor are two of WCC's Basketball players.

Teresa Ray and Noel Guy wear twigs on their heads at CGA Skate Night.

Christie Weathersby and Andy Holder goof off during an intramural basketball game.



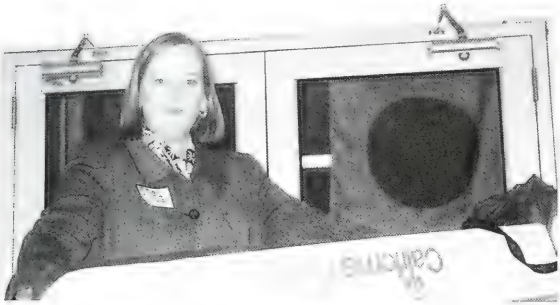
Dr. Browning assists Wesley Keyes in his search for knowledge.



(Above) Andy Winn spends some time alone in meditation.
(Left) Tim Glaze, the ever-joyful BSU [illegible].

Two students take a break to pose for the camera at the SGA Skate Night.

Two Forensics students provided entertainment at the SGA CoffeeHouse.



Merryl Taylor with the flowers for the Homecoming Court.

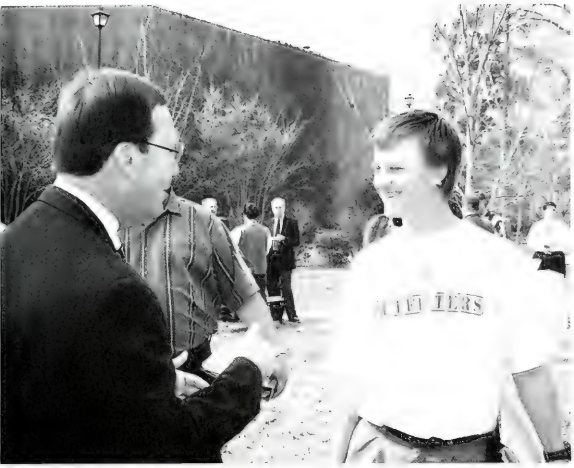
A student at Survival Weekend is skeptical about pushing a potato with his nose.

Shane Sims, Scott Vickery, Will Wall, and Andrea Robinson "hang out" at an intramural basketball game.

Carrie Cartier, Shannon Robert, Rebecca Dockens, Kristie Kelly, and MeShay Lee strike a pose at the Homecoming Bonfire.

Kim Morris shows how low she can go at the SGA Luau.

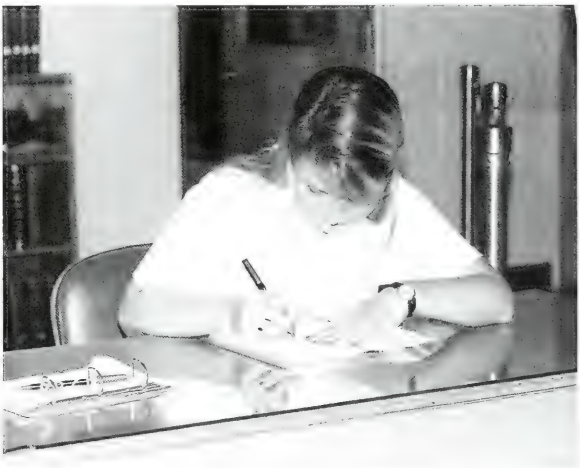
Jon Celoria and Rebecca Dockens performed their Dramatic Interp. at the SGA CoffeeHouse.



Dr. Lee and Wesley Keyes chat in the Prayer Garden.

Noel Guy and Keith Stovall entertain at the SGA CoffeeHouse.

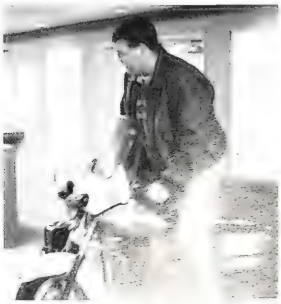
Chase Moore and Amanda Strickland relax in Ross Hall Lobby.



Heather Roan is hard at work in the Library.

Shannon Clark narrates a poem at the SGA CoffeeHouse.

A student enjoying himself at the SGA Skate Night.



Shane S[illegible] at the SGA [illegible]

A work study Saturday in January was spent shelling pecans from Pecan Shadows in Lumberton.

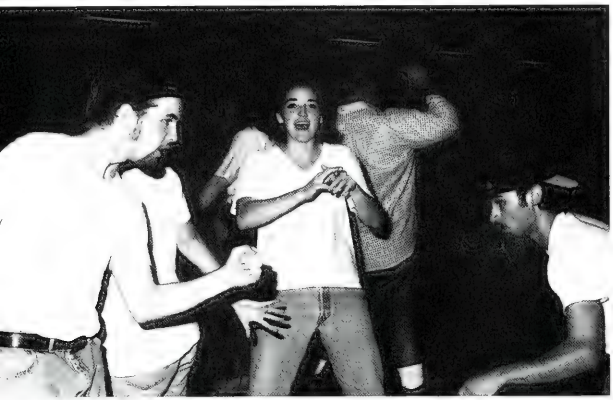
A suspicious Greg Futral checks his back as he hear the footsteps of a prowling photographer.

Wendi Watts, Wesley Keyes, Bobby John Panni, and Doug Wasson enjoy the first we of BSU activities.

(Above) Dr. Browning takes advantage of the early fall weather and teaches class outdoors. (Right) Dr. Valentine and one of his students sing during Chapel.

Era Benjamin and Laura Anne Dowdle enjoy a spring walk across campus.

Rob Rainey speeds his way across the Petal Rollerdome floor.



Keith Stovall, Noel Guy, and Curt Hale have a ball at Skate Night.

Callie Carruth and Judy blanket the campus with Picture-Day signs.

Crystal Hopkins wishes for a 1st floor room while moving in.

Shane Sims, Meshay Lee, Jason Shorter, and Mary Beth Douglas enjoy the SGA Coffee House.

(Left-Right) Richard Mayfield, Robin Muirhead, Laura Anne Dowdle, Andrea Robinson, and Shane Sims.

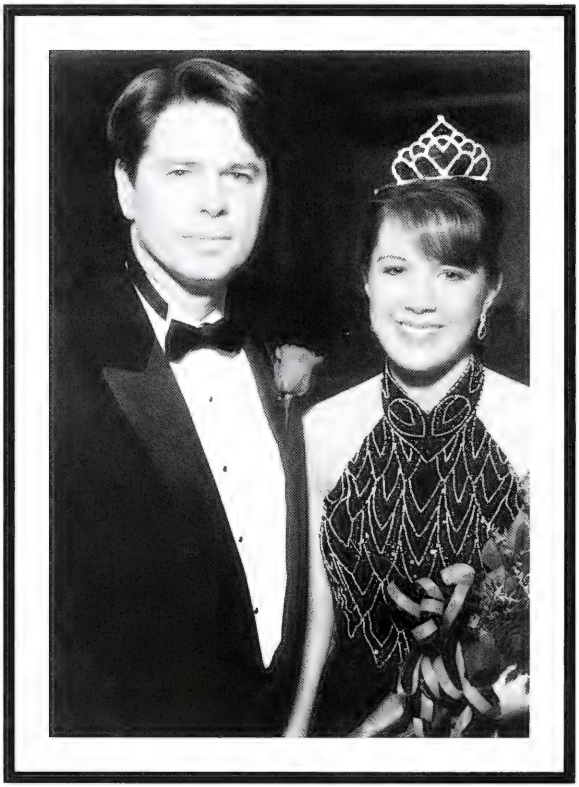
Heather R[illegible] the camera at Skate Night.

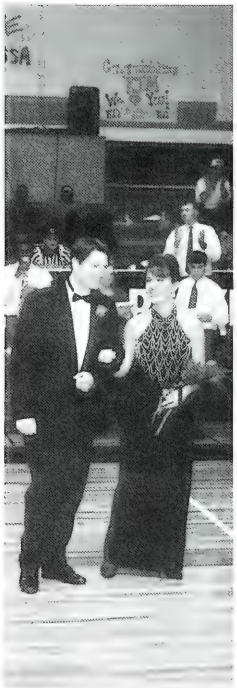
HOMECOMING QUEEN

Wayne Fortenberry, Dee Dee Fortenberry, Amanda Strickland, Dr. Edwards

Dee Dee Fortenberry is the 21 year old daughter of Wayne and Karen Fortenberry of Columbia, Mississippi. Dee Dee is a senior Nursing major at William Carey.

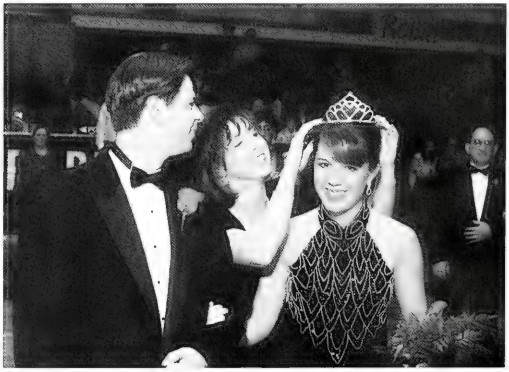
Wayne and Dee Dee Fortenberry before the game.



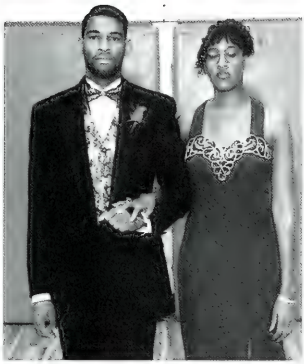


Wayne and Dee Dee Fortenberry at halftime.

Dee Dee is a member of the Baptist Student Union, Student Government Association, Church Related Vocations, Pi Omega, Student Nurses Association and for two years she was a member of the WCC Softball team and the Lady Saders Basketball team. Dee Dee has been an Academic Scholarship recipient, a Campus Beauty, and a member of the Homecoming Court.

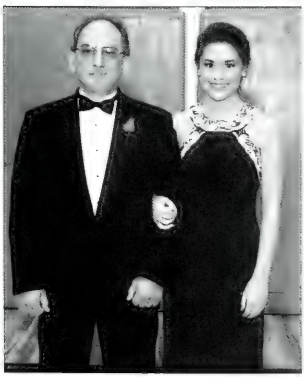


HOMECOMING ROYALTY



Kim Funches is the 21 year old daughter of Alton and Mary Funches of Bassfield, Mississippi. Kim is a Biology/Pre-Med/Chemistry major and a Senior maid on this year's court. Kim is a member of the Carey Chorale, Chi Beta Phi Science Fraternity, and the Alpha Chi National Honor Society. Kim has been an All-American Collegiate Scholar, a Presidential Excellence Scholar, a Daniel Sumrall Memorial Fund Recipient, a Sterling Winthrop Scholarship recipient, Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, and the National Dean's List.

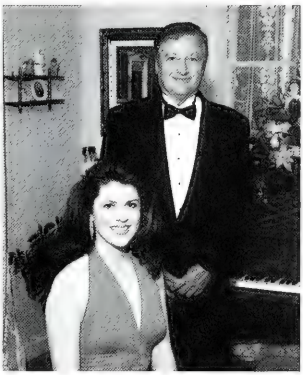
Alyssa Hurst is the 21 year old daughter of Fred and Peggy Hurst of Mobile, Alabama. Alyssa is a Senior Religion/English major. She is a member of the Baptist Student Union, the Church Related Vocation, Alphi Chi National Honor Society, and the Dean's List.



Tangie Moudy is the 20 year old daughter of Henry and Minnie Moudy of Puckett, Mississippi. Tangie is a Junior Accounting major. Tangie is the Vice-President of the Student Government Association and Secretary of the Pi Omega Social Club. Tangie is a member of Phi Beta Lambda Business Fraternity, the Baptist Student Union, Alpha Chi Honor Society, and the National Dean's List. During her Sophomore year, Tangie was a Homecoming maid a[illegible] [illegible]ass Beauty.

HOMECOMING

Robin Muirhead is the 19 year old daughter of Robert Muirhead and Glenda Bankston of Richland, Mississippi. Robin is a Sophomore Nursing major and Secretary of the Student Government Association. She is also a member of the Baptist Student Union, Cleary Baptist Church, and the Dean's List.



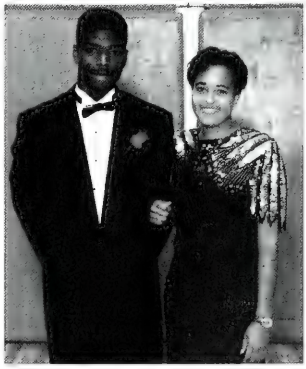
Kim Morris is the 18 year old daughter of Wayne and Cora Morris of Amite, Louisiana. Kim is a Freshman and a member of the Baptist Student Union Drama Team, Pi Omega Social Club, the Honors Program, and the College Choir of First Baptist Church Hattiesburg. While at William Carey College, Kim has been the Rush Week Limbo Contest Winner. In high school, Kim was Homecoming Queen, 5 time state track champion, a Presidential Academic Achievement Award winner, and MVP in softball, basketball, and track.

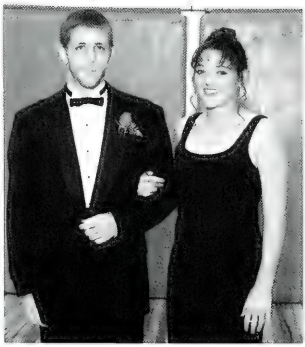
Carla Simmons is the 28 year old daughter of Rachel Simmons of Houston, Texas. Carla is a Junior Psychology major who recently transferred from Houston Community College. Carla is a huge sports fanatic and this year's Basketball Maid. She is escorted by Leon Perry Jr. a former NFL lineman for the New York Giants and the San Francisco 49'ers.

ROYALTY

Kristina DeMarco is the 20 year old daughter of Barbara and George Waldspurger of Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Kristina is a Junior Nursing major and a member of the William Carey College Women's Soccer team. She is escorted by Frank Smith.

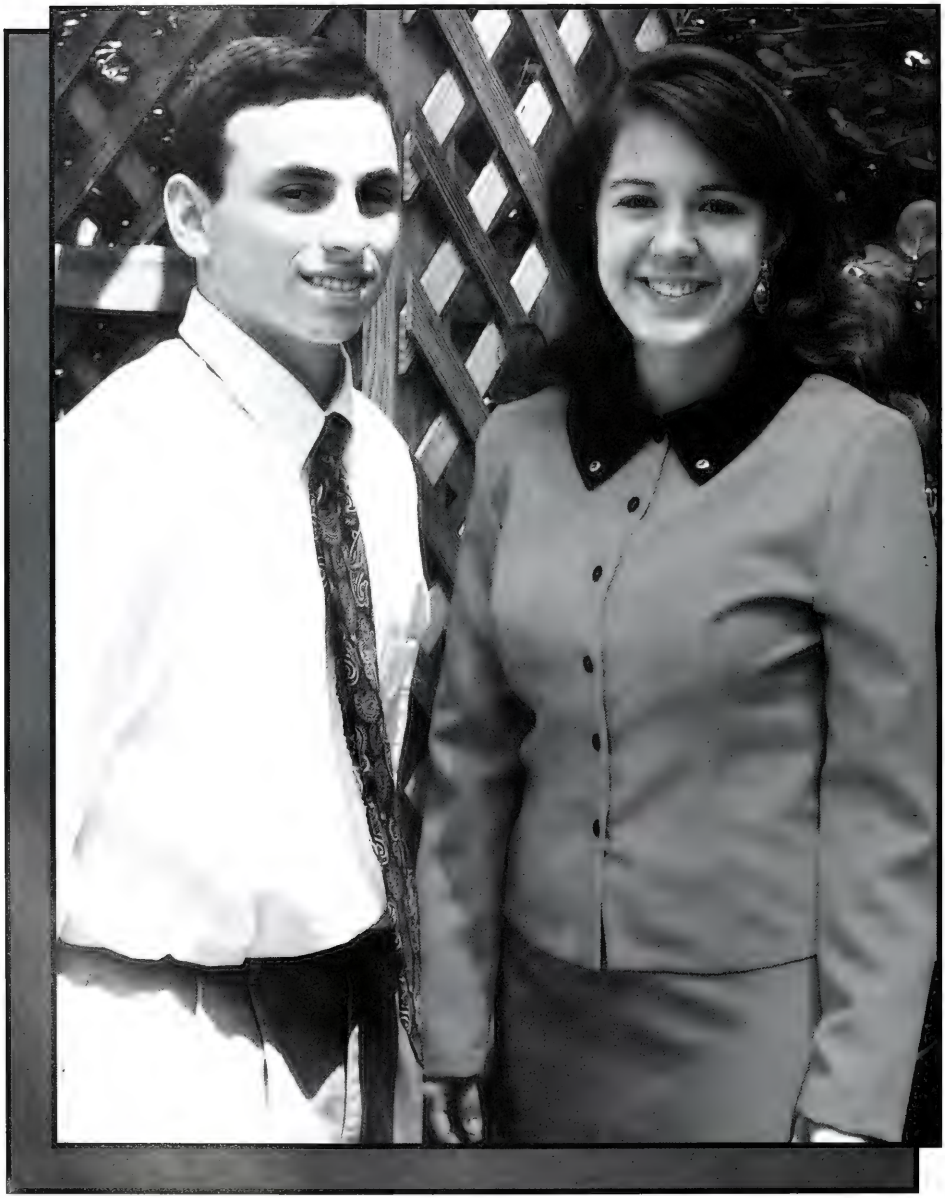
Ktara Ealom is the 19 year old daughter of Debby Pendleton of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Ktara is a Psychology major. She is a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and the William Carey Women's Soccer team. For the past two years, Ktara has been All-Conference in soccer. Her escort is Chris Pryor.





Wendi Frosch is the 21 year old daughter of Tina Lasseigne and Kevin Frosch of Mandeville, Louisiana. Wendi is a Senior Elementary Education major. She is a member of the WCC Women's Soccer team, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Student Government, and the Baptist Student Union. Wendi has been a Campus Beauty, Academic All-American, All Conference, and soccer captain.

Mr. and Miss William



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Dee Dee Fortenberry

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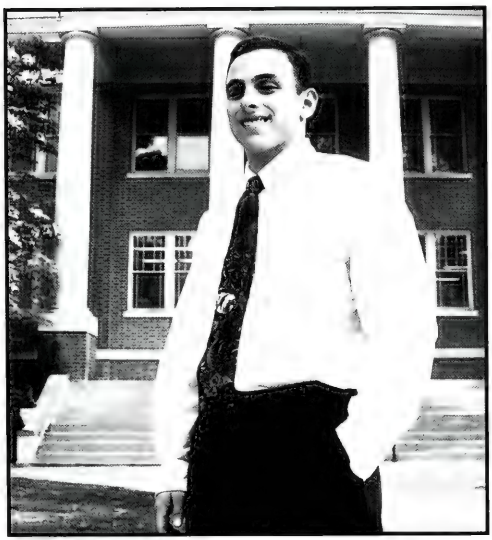
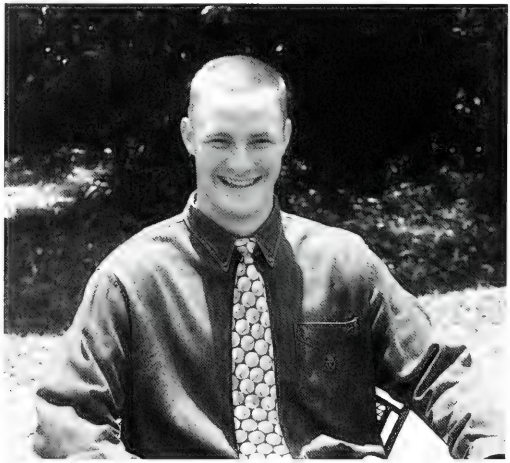


Senior Beauties and Beaus

(Clockwise) Alyssa Hurst, Tony Minor, Dee Dee Fortenberry, Frank Baugh, Amanda Strickland



Junior Beauties and Beaus

Matthew Celoria

Ginger Martin

Tangie Moudy

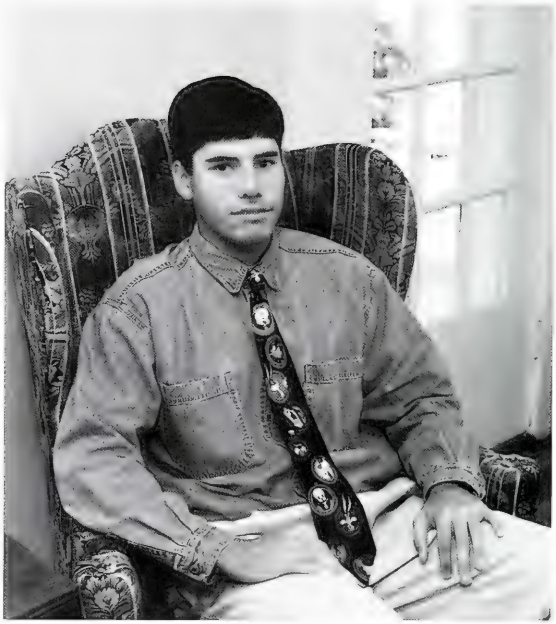
Mark Celoria

Sophomore Beauties and Beaus

Curt Hale

Kellie Dykes

Robin Muirhead



Ryan Stringer

Freshman Beauties and Beaus

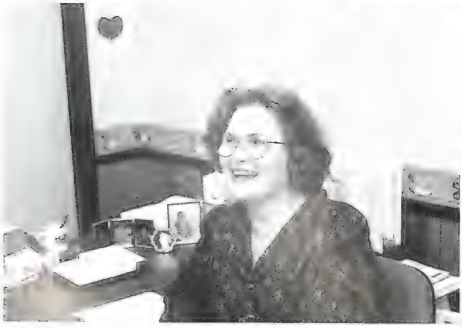
(Clockwise) Mandy Trammell, Shane Sims, Jill Asmussen, Paul Lee and Kim Morris.

STAFF DEDICATION

In appreciation and recognition of all that she does, the 1996-97 CRUSADER staff would like to dedicate this yearbook to Ms. Becky Bourdene. As any religion major and CRV student knows, Ms. Becky is a vital part of William Carey College. She even knows every religion major and CRV student by name which is no small feat.

Ms. Becky is the Administrative Assistant in the Cooper School of Missions and Biblical Studies (she actually runs the department!) Ms. Becky is responsible for all department mail-outs, all the secretarial work, plus making sure that all the religion majors get advised, registered, and that all CRV students get their checks each month. In addition to all of this, she is also building a database in order to keep in touch with religion students once they leave school.

Ms. Becky was born in Hattiesburg and except for a period of twelve years when she lived in Texas, she has lived here all her life. She was hired by Dr. Kennedy in 1991 and she greatly enjoys her job. She is the mother of three wonderful children and she also has six grandchildren.



Favorite Activity: Riding horses; Most Valued Possession: My family; Best thing at WCC: students; Last meal: Chocolate; Nobody knows I: rode mules into the Grand Canyon since I've been at Carey.

FACULTY DEDICATION

In appreciation and recognition of his many years of service and dedication to William Carey College, the 1996-97 CRUSADER staff would like to dedicate this yearbook to Dr. Dorman Laird. Dr. Laird has been a part of William Carey College since 1958 when he was a freshman. He graduated in 1961 and for three years he served as BSU director and for five years after that he was the Dean of Student Affairs. Dr. Laird has been teaching at Carey since 1968.

Dr. Laird met his wife while they were both students at WCC. They got married the Monday after graduation in 1961. they have three children; a daughter lives in Slidell and two sons that live in Hattiesburg. Dr. and Mrs. Laird are also the proud grandparents of four grandchildren.

Dr. Laird was the first in his family to attend college. While in school he majored in Spanish. During his seminary years, he studied Hebrew and Greek (at the same time!), taught himself enough German to pass a proficiency exam, and he took Latin through correspondence from LSU.

Favorite Place: Tylertown, MS (he was born here); Favorite Food: Fresh Apples; Favorite Movie: Chariots of Fire.
Favorite Song: Immortal Love Forever Full; Favorite Book: Bible and The Prophet by Kahlil Gibran.
Interesting Hobbies: Woodworkign and restoring Studabakers.
Best part of working at WCC: Interaction with the students.

Teacher of the Year
Dr. Dorman Laird

Dr. Laird enjoys relaxing in his office.

Congratulations to this year's Teacher of the Year, Dr. Dorman Laird. Dr. Laird is a much loved part of William Carey College and his touch can be felt all over the campus. With a group of four workstudy students, Dr. Laird renovated a wing of Lawrence Hall, he also created his office in what was his old dorm room. In addition to the work on Lawrence Hall, Dr. Laird also built the guard shacks on campus.

In January 1958, Dr. Laird joined the WCC family as a freshman. He spent three years here and graduated in May 1961. In May 1965, he earned his B.D. Then he attended New Orleans Seminary and completed his Master's Degree and earned a Th.D. in 1972. In 1976, Dr. Laird rejoined the Carey family as a faculty member.

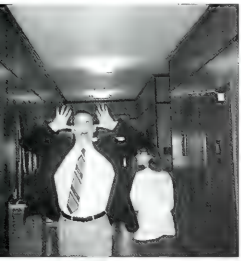
To many of his students, Dr. Laird is considered to be one of the best teachers on campus. Dr. Laird loves what he does and he also loves his students and it shows. For everything that he does to make WCC a great school, we proudly honor Dr. Laird as Teacher of the Year.

ul (?) Lee gets down during Let's Make A Deal.

Andy Winn relaxes at the BSU Banquet in May.

The original gate now relocated in front of the Prayer Garden.

An icky, gooey, mess at Let's Make A Deal!



ad Dr. Crockett! Bad Dr. rockett!

Tim Whipple and his son take time out to enjoy a concert at Survival Weekend.

A Carey alumni participates in the Homecoming baseball game.

hawn Panni and Jared Hegewood's amatic debut at Survival Weekend.

urvival Weekenders enjoy a concert.

Bass Hall decorations for Homecoming.

Thomas Music building lit up for Christmas.

Hey Yetter, don't you just love pecans?

Let's Make A Deal, Dana!

Just a few of the Forensics trophies.

Friends take time to chat.

Our very own crazy Crusader, Tison.

"I got out of bed for nuts?" Julie Magee

Tim takes a break during a busy Survival Weekend.

And a child shall lead them.

Some folks will do anything for a prize

STUDENTS

Scott Alexander, FR Religion

Ebbony Allen, SO, Psychology

Vivian Anderson, SR, Secondary Math

Paula Anglin, SR, Religion/Psychology

Rebecca Arthur, JR, Elementary Ed.

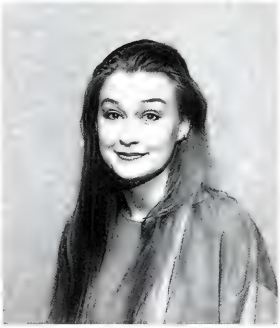
Jill Asmussen, FR Music

Sarah Beth Ballow, FR

Patrick Barber, SO, Biology

Aliska Barnes, FR, Accounting

Frank Baugh, SR, Psychology



Kim Beech, SR, Elementary Ed.

Stacy Beech, JR, Secondary Math

Kyle Birdwell, FR, Religion

Trinia Blackmon, SR, Social Science

Amanda Blackwell, SR, Religion

Melicia Boose, SR, Biology

Michelle Bowser, FR, Business Management

Jonathan Brooke, FR, English

Jeremy Brown, SO, Religion

Kristen Brown, FR, Nursing

Lashontay Brumfield, FR, Nursing

Melanie Bryant, JR, Music Therapy

Vanessa Bryant, SO, Elementary Ed.

Judy Bullock, SR, English

Justin Burton, JR, Theatre

George P. Burdell, Jr., FR, Poultry Sc.

Leanne Burris, SR, Spanish/English

Justin Busby, SR, History

Jason Cadden, JR, History

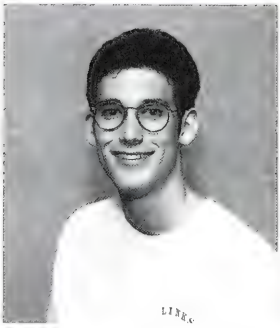
Shaye Caldwell, GRAD, English Education

Callie Carruth, JR, Religion

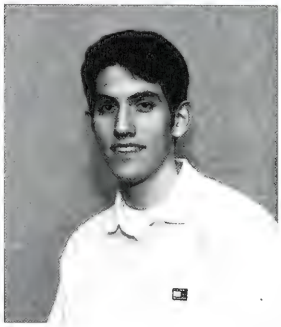
Shasheka Carter, SO, Nursing

Carrie Cartier, SO, Theatre

Dennis Casanave, SO, Elementary Ed.



Jon Celoria, JR, History

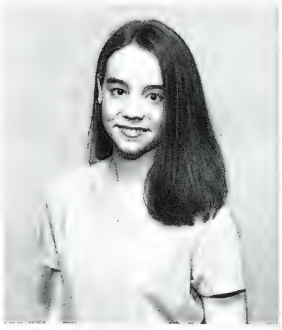


Mark Celoria, JR, Church Music

Matthew Celoria, JR, History

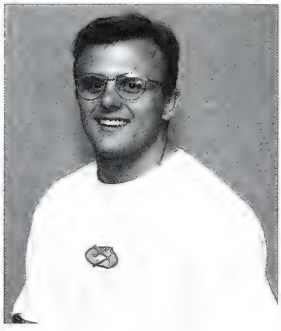
Gaby Chatham, FR, Speech Comm./Theatre

Starsha Chauitin, FR



Candace Cochran, JR, English

Jennifer Coghlan, SO, Theatre

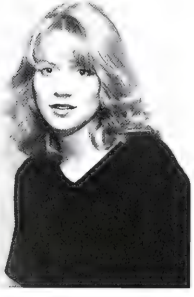


Jason Coker, JR, Religion

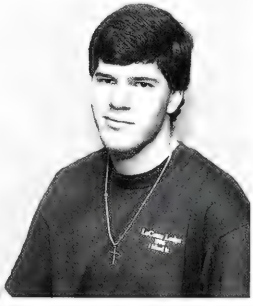
Angie Cole, SR, Biology

Todd Cole, JR, Religion/Psychology

Chaz Cooper, JR, Business



Christina Crawford, JR, Elementary Ed.



Lance Crocker, SO, Religion/Comm.

Steven Cruthirds, SO, Theatre

Bo Cumberland, FR, Religion

Jimmy Cuyler, III, JR, Mass Comm.

Dee Dee Daffron, JR, Elementary Ed.

Dawn Daugherty, JR, Nursing

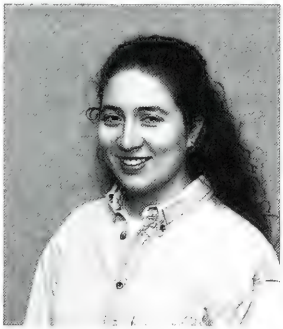
Danny Davis, SR, Church Music

Rosemary Davis, SR, English

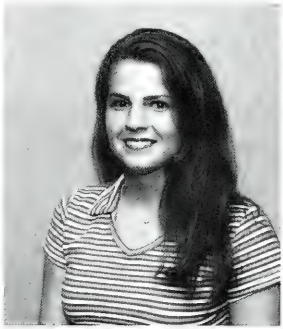
Demetra Dawkins, SO, Business

Brad Day, SR, Music Education

Jennifer Donohoo, SR, Music Education



Mary Beth Douglas, SR, Religion



Laura Anne Dowdle, SO, Social Science

William Drummond, FR

Summers Dunaway, FR, Communications/RTF

Herbert Durr, JR, Radiological Tech.

Kellie Dykes, SO, Nursing

Paul Eichwurtzle, SR, Religion

Misty Elliott, SO, Chemistry

Drew Evans, SO, Religion

Lorri Ezell, JR, Psychology

Ashley Fitzhugh, FR

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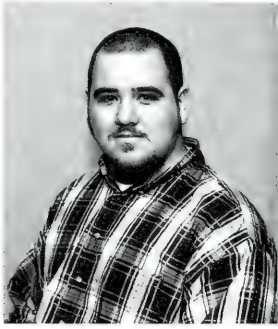
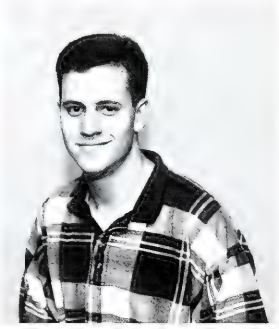
Kim Funches, SR, Biology



Greg Futral, SR, Psychology

Gina L. Garrison JR Business Mgt.



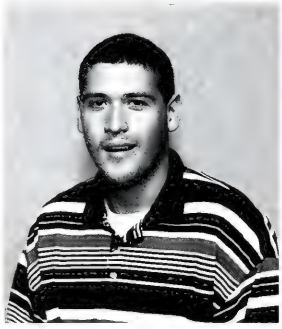
Nathan Gibson, FR, Guitar

John Gillis, SO, Business

Gregory Gilmore, FR, Religion

Cindy Glaze, SR, Psychology

Chad Graham, JR, Psychology/P.E.



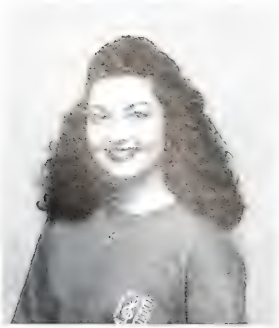
Thomas Grant, SO, Business

Jennifer Griffith, SR, P.E./English

Melanie Grimes, FR, Music

Kelli Grimsley, SO, Math

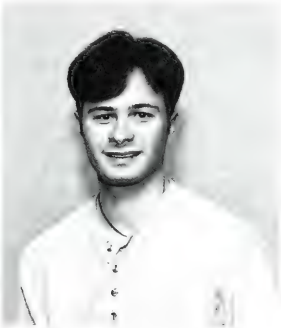
Kelly Halford, FR, Pre-Law



Melody Hanberry, JR, Piano Performance

Stephanie Hanberry, FR

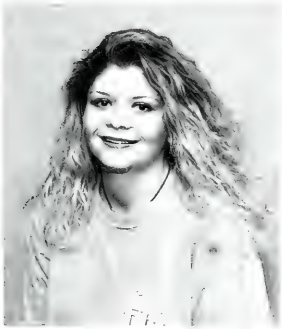
David Handrop, SR, Accounting



Zane Hartfield, SO, Communications

Gracie Hawthorne, SR, Business Admin.

Tison Heywood, SO, Religion



Amy Henderson, JR, Nursing

Clayton Herrin, SR, General Studies

Michelle Herrin, SO, Psychology

Marsha Hickman, JR, Elementary Ed.

Chad Hoeppel, SR, Religion/P. E.

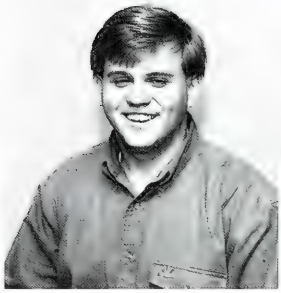
Andy Holder, SR, Religion

Crystal Hoskins, FR, Psychology

Sharon Horton, SR, Psychology

Emily Howton, FR, Elementary Ed.

Cheryl D. Hunt, SR, English



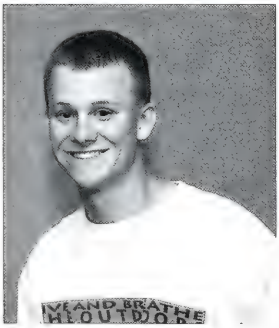
David Jacks, SR, Psychology

Charla Jeter, SO, Religion

Dana Johnson, JR, Nursing

Trudy Johnson, SR, Physical Therapy

Karen Kennedy, FR, Math



Wesley Keyes, SO, Spanish/Religion

Elena Kiryanova, SR, Business Admin.

Buddy Knott, JR, Religion

Karen Kyles, JR, English

McShay Lee, SR, Religion

Paul Lee, FR, Theatre

Pamela Lenard, SR, Music Therapy

Jerry Lewis, JR, Psychology

Laura Lindsey, JR, Communications

Leslie Lizana, FR, Nursing

Alicia Lowery, SR, Management/Marketing

Elliot McCardle, SR, Business

Karon V. McCrory, FR, Chemistry

Melissa Macoy, JR, Elementary Ed.

Robyn McGinn, SR, Business Management

Lacy McIntosh, FR, Radiology

Parker McMullan, SO, Theatre

William E. McMullan, FR, Religion

Gayla McRaney, JR, Elementary Ed.

Julie Magee, JR, Nursing

Ginger Martin, JR, Religion

Clinton Maybush, JR, Psychology

Perry Miley, SO, Elementary Ed.

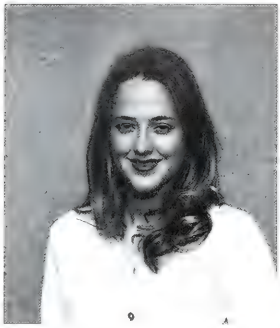
Janice Miller, JR, Communications

Tony Minor, SR, Elementary Ed.

James Mitchell, JR, Theatre

Chase Moore, SR, Religion

Tangie Moudy, JR, Accounting



Jennie Morgan, JR, Religion/History

Robin Muirhead, SO, Nursing

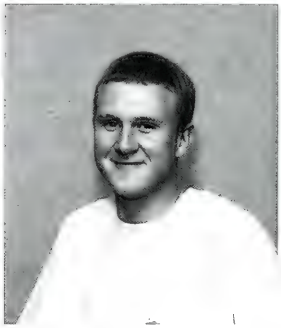
Ashley Myrick, FR, Pre-Nursing

Shelley Nickles, FR, Religion

Clay Norwood, FR, Religion

Alcides Nunez, FR, Psychology

Yetter Oatis, JR, Elementary Ed.



Shane Overstreet, JR, Elementary Ed.

Bobby John Pavni, FR, Religion

Danny Painter, SO, Vocal Performance

Faneka Parhm, SO, Pre-Nursing

Alicia Parker, FR, Music Therapy

Brian Parker, JR, Religion

Lori Parker, FR, Music Therapy

Sharon Parker, SR, Accounting

Tanya L. Patrick, SR, Biology

Michelle Pearce, JR, English Ed.

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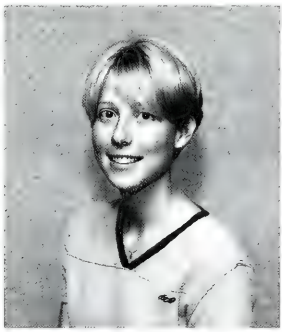
Jacklyn Quin, SO, Nursing

Angela Ray, FR, Math



Teresa Ray, SR, Psychology

Cassandra Rayford, FR, Pre-Law

Ginger Reaves, SO, English

Michael Rhodes, SR, Liberal Studies

Heather Roan, SR, Religion/Psychology

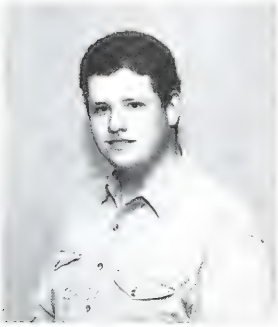
Andrea Robinson, SO, Nursing

Kala Robinson, FR, Religion

Amber Rushing, FR, Nursing

Dave Sanders, SR, Religion

Christy Sasser, JR, Elementary Ed.



Kevin Scarborough, FR, Church Music

Shawn Selman, SR, Math

Olga Shevchishina, FR

Jonathan Shows, SR, Social Science

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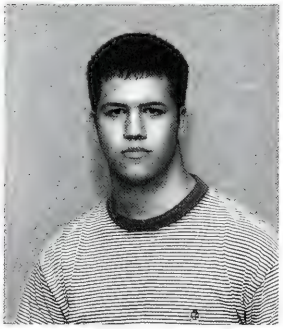

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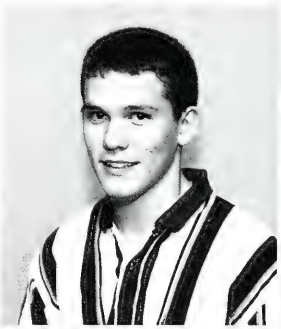
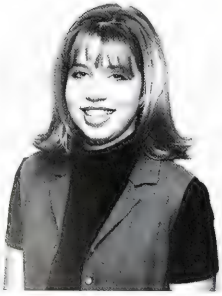


Adam Smith, FR, Religion

Colleen Smith, FR Elementary Ed.



Erin Smith, FR, Religion

Kimberly Smith, SR, Social Studies/Bio.

Leland Smith, SR, Business/Religion

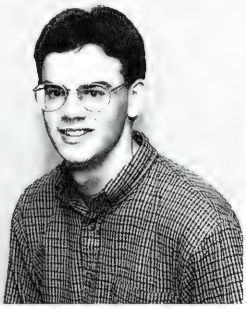
Ray A. Smith, JR, Business

Susan Smith, SR, English

Kim Smith, SR, Biology

Christy Spencer, FR, Elementary Ed.

Michael Springstead, FR, Church Music



Lee Stauter, SR, Religion/English

Jenny Steed, SR, Biology

Syritta Stewart, SR, Psychology

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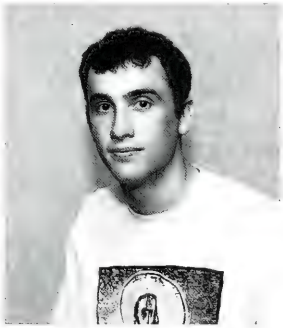
Keith Stovall, SO, Psychology

Heather Staples, SR, Elementary Ed.

Amanda Strickland, SR, Nursing

Stephanie Sullivan, SR, Psychology



Shannon Sutton, JR, Psychology

Amanda Taylor, FR, Biology

April Taylor, JR, Religion/Psychology

Don Taylor, SR, Religion

Lessa Taylor, FR Church Music

Rebecca Taylor, FR, Nursing

Cathy Thompson, SR, Biology

Kelton Thompson, FR

Tanya Thompson, FR, Psychology

Rebecca Thoms, SO, Physical Therapy

Lindsay Thornton, SO, Elementary Ed.

Angela Tillman, SR, Math

Mandy Trammell, FR, Communications

Yvonne Tran, FR, Biology/Chemistry

Joseph Tucker, FR, Religion

Scott Vickery JR Business

Tim Walker, SR, Biology/Chemistry

Blaine Wall, SO, English

Will Wall, JR, Business

Gary A. Wallace, Sr., SR, Religion

Rachelle Walley, JR, Nursing

Douglas Wasson, JR, Religion

Wendi Watts, JR, Psychology

Christy Weathersby, SR, Elementary Ed.

Shenita Weathersby, SO, Psychology

Artha Wheaton, SO, P.E./Math

Jamie M. White, JR, Elementary Ed.

Courtney Wilbanks, SR, Psychology

JoAnn Williams, SR, Accounting

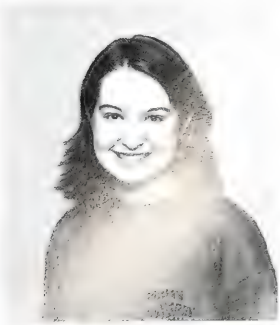
Sheryl Williams, SR, Business

Tamuoria Williams, SO, Psychology/Ger.

Valerie Williamson, SR, Psychology/Eng.

Rita Wilson, JR, Music Education

Andy Winn, JR, History



Traci Woods, FR, Music Therapy

David Woullard, Senior, Religion

Larry W. Yarber, Junior, Religion

Cheerleaders support the Crusaders at home.

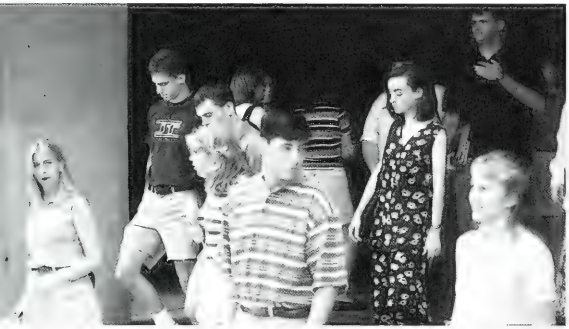
Charla Jeter and Ashley Fitzhugh enjoy the sun in front of Crawford Hall.

Friends enjoy the SGA Coffee House Night.

Amanda Blackwell and Greta Thornhill find time to tal between classes.

Survival Weekenders bring the house down.

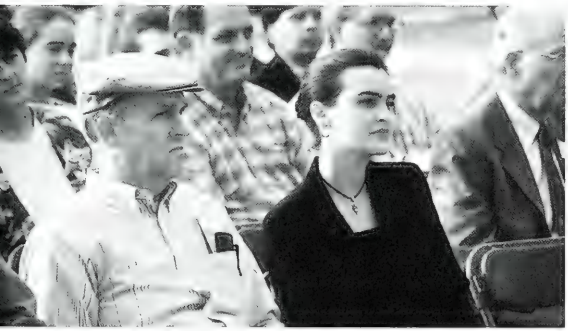
The library honors graduating seniors.



What a way to start the day-students return to class after Chapel.

Shannon Rober instructs Jamie Mitchell in another aspect of the theatre.

Ever feel overdressed?



Guests from all over the state come for the brick dedication.

Leslie and Michelle make some noise at Let's Make A Deal.

Pinky?!

Hi Julie!

Relay racing at Survival Weekend.

Laura Anne Dowdle, Kim Morris, and Charla Jeter.

Students rally enthusiastically at a BSU event.

Dr. Browning takes advantage of a nice day and teaches outside.

The Easter Bunny looks on at the Psychology Club egg hunt.

Shane Sims, Jason Stoker, Meshay Lee, and Chase Moore rest at an SGA Skate Night.

Shaun Selman tries in vain to avoid a picture.

Crusaders enjoy the picnic after Justice Scalia's speech.

Getting to know each other at Survival Weekend.

The usual scene after Chapel.

Moving in!!

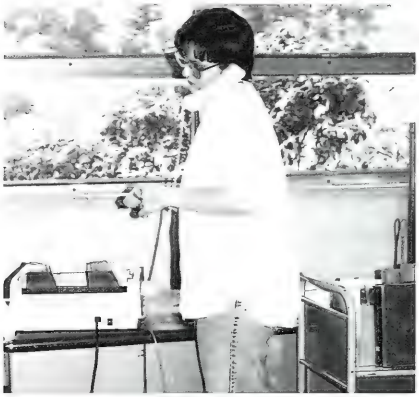
The Duncan twins entertain all during halftime.

Proud residents pose in Bass Hall during Homecoming.

All brass...

Jamie Jackson studies her script.

Callie, how's the water?



Amanda Blackwell on the job.

Guest director, Rob Mulholland advises the cast of Reckless.

One chair down, fifty-nine to go...Chase Moore.

Refreshments for a hot move-in day thanks to the BSU.

FACULTY/STAFF/ ADMINISTRATION

Sydney Bailey, Assistant Professor of Biology and Medical Technology.

Sue Bennett, Admissions Clerk.

Barbara Bono, Administrative Assistant Student Development.

Becky Bourdene, Administrative Assistant Cooper School of Missions and Biblical Studies.

Dr. Daniel C. Browning, Associate Professor of Religion.

Sarah Burrus, Registrar

Carrie Byrd, Softball Coach, Physical Education Instructor.

Dr. Allison Chestnut, Associate Professor of Language and Literature.

Robyn Cilwik, Financial Aid Counselor.

r. Bennie Crockett, Professor of Religion, Associate Vice President f Academic Programs.

Martin Cuellar, Instructor of Music

Karon Cummins, Library Assistant.

William Curry, Director of Financial Aid

Peggy DeFatta, Administrative Assistant to the President.

Hardy Denham, Director of Church Relations and Minister in Residence.

Susan Dickey, Administrative Assistant to the Registrar

Dr. Read Diket, Associate Professor of Art and Education, Director of Honors Program

Kathy Dyess, Director of Lucile Parker Gallery, Lecturer of Art

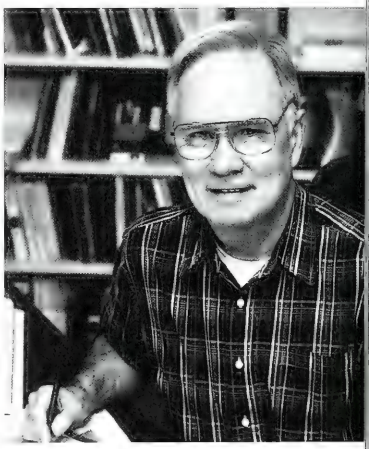
Iris Easterling, Assistant Professor of English, Executive Assistant to the Chancellor for Development and External Relations.

Dr. Cloyd Ezell, Dean School of Arts, Humanities, and Sciences, Chair Department of Mathematics

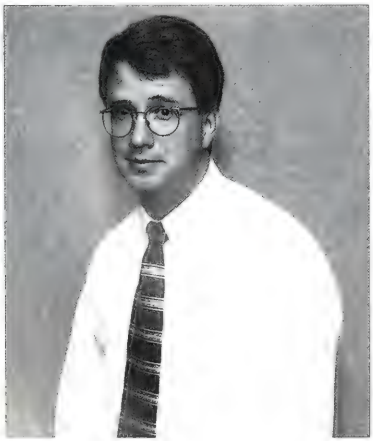
Ruth Ferrell, Resident Director of Ross Hall

Wynde Fitts, Counselor Student Support Services

Bette Ford, Assistant Professor of Language and Literature



Dr. Al Foy, Professor of Education, Coordinator of Teacher Education Certification



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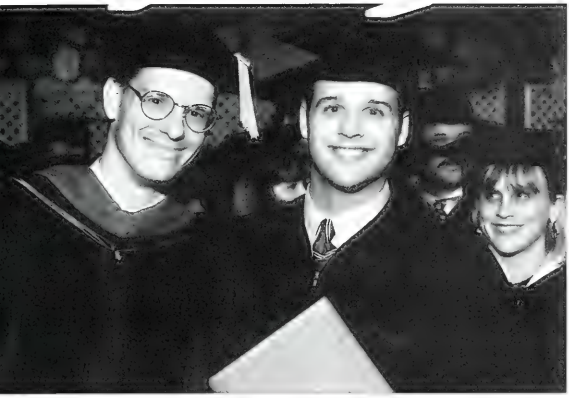
Jeanna Graves, Theatre Secretary, Public Relations Assistant

Will Hansen, Admissions Counselor

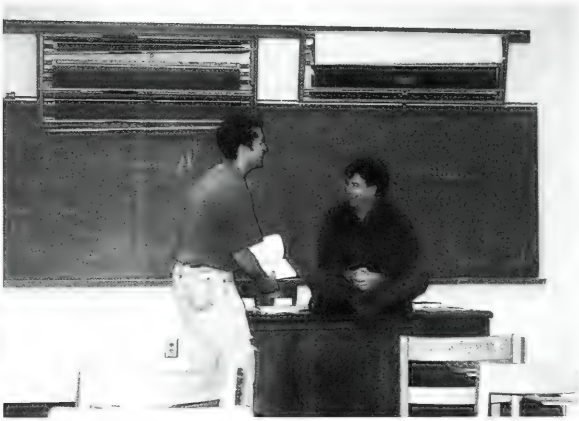


Dr. Crockett and graduate Shannon Clark smile for the camera.

Sherryl Williams and David Hester visit in Lawrence Hall.

Merryl Taylor and Wynde Fitts take time out from staining chairs for the coffee house.

In the dugout



"What is the meaning of life, O Guru Noonkester?"

Merry Christmas!

"Incidentally and parenthetically speaking..."

Noonkester and Nikovich-what a pair!

Chancellor Edwards, Justice Scalia, and President Lee

Dr. Valentine instructs two of his students.

Perfect practice makes perfect.

Making more noise at "Let's Make A Deal!"

Is 'dem pantyhose on yo' head?!

Getting ready for a picnic?

In a hurry to get to class.

Another hard day of classes at WCC!

Todd and Alicia chat in front of the Music building.

Pecan pie, pecan pudding, pecan syrup, pecan brownies, pecan kebobs, . . .

Jeremy Adcock. One of the few, the proud, the organ majors.

Andy Winn leaves chapel refreshed.

Melissa Harper, Records Clerk Registrar's Office

Earline Herrin, Administrative Assistant School of Education and Psychology

David Hester, Dean of Student Development

Dr. William Hetrick, Dean School of Education and Psychology, Director of Graduate Teacher Education Program

Scott Hilton, Director of Admissions

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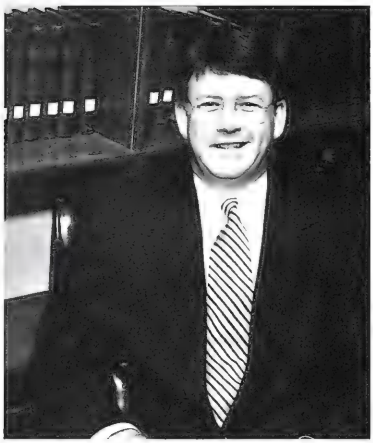

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Ronnine Kitchens, Student Account Representative

Dr. Dorman Laird, Professor of Religion

Colleen Lawless, Administrative Assistant to the Chancellor

Dr. Rory Lee, President and Chief Operating Officer

Ramona Loewer, Secretary School of Music

Todd Long, Instructor, Tutor Coordinator Student Support Services

Dr. Thomas Lott, Professor of Modern Language and Literature

Dr. B.J. Martin, Chair Department of Biology, Professor of Biology

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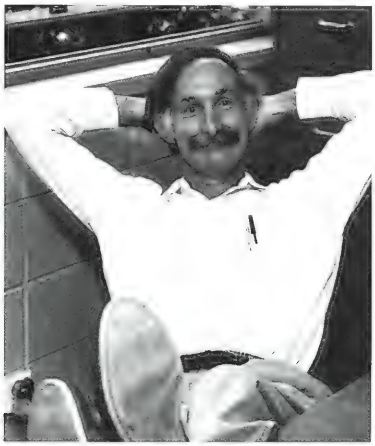


Jimmy Myers, Instructor of Education, Assistant Librarian

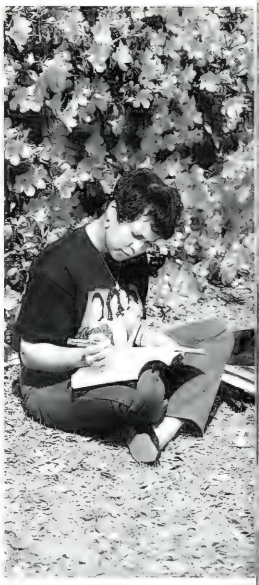
Mark Nicovich, Admissions Counselor, Resident Director Polk Hall

Loretta Pearce, Administrative Assistant Student Support Services

Rebecca Pierce, Administrative Assistant to the Registrar

Cheering on Let's Make A Deal

Carrie Cartier works her artistic magic.



Taking time out on a sunny day.

Monday morning chapel

Matt Celoria and Kim Morris

It's gotta be de shoes!

Jamie Mitchell painting sets for The Magician's nephew.

A member of the Zambian Acapella Choir shares a "Howdy Ya'll!"

Bobby John Panni and Kelly Hennington share a laugh.

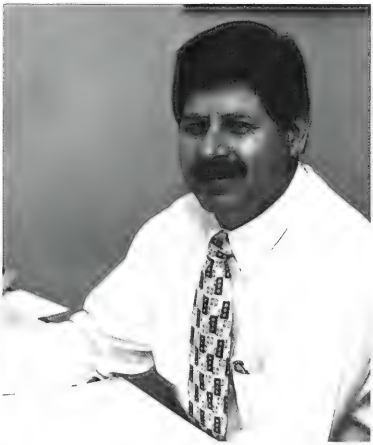
Eat your hear out, Emily Post! Curt Hale

Brenda Pittman, Assistant Director of Financial Aid

Sparkle Polk, Secretary Registrar's Office

Obra Quave, Director of Communications, Professor and Chairman of Theatre and Communication

Dr. Betti Richwood, Professor of Education



Joe Riley, Controller

Shannon Robert, Assistant Professor of Theatre and Communication

Thomas Scarbrough, Vice President of Student Services

DeDe Shows, Administrative Assistant Business Office

Dee Show, Secretary Financial Aid

Faculty/Staff Not Pictured

Dr. Trudy Abel
Dr. David Allen
Nelwyn Brantley
David Brockway
LaRon Brumfield
Dr. David Channell
Dr. Paul Cotten
Susan Curry
Josephine D'Arpa
Leonard Day
Tracy English
Laurie Glaze
Robert Halford
Dr. Randall Harris
Beth Hartfield
Dr. Ben Hawkins
Tammy Herrington
Steve Knight
Dr. Miroslav Loncar
Sandra Lopar
Julia Mansell
Joanne McLendon
Nancy McMillian
Dr. Charlotte McShea
Sandra Meeler
Wendy Moore
Martha Morris
Dr. Myron Noonkester
Joyce Norris
Margaret Payne
Beth Riley
Dr. William Rivero
Dr. Connie Roberts
Bert Schamber
James Shivers
Kandis Tyrone
Dr. Milfred Valentine
Karin Velasquez
Dr. Rose West
Dr. Darlene Wheeler
Donna Wheeler
Dr. Milton Wheeler
Stacy Wilson
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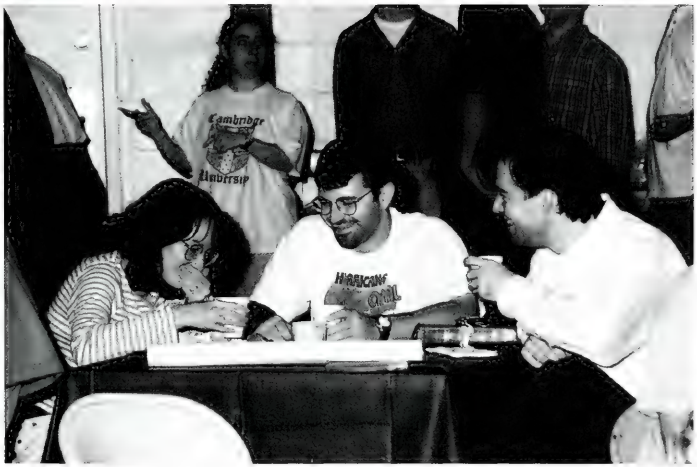


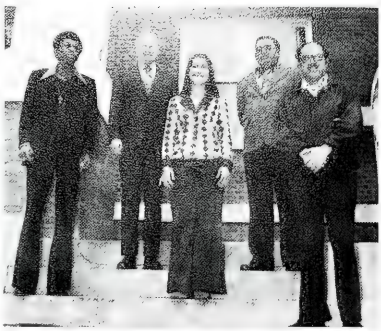
Clubs Through the Years

William Carey Clubs provide a variety of experiences for students of all backgrounds. Christian clubs, sports clubs, business, English and political clubs, all have only one goal in mind - to provide meaningful fellowship and to help students develop in their college careers. Through the years, club activities have changed and adapted with the times but the ability of these clubs to make college life more fun has only improved.

Young Democrat[illegible] [illegible] Politics

The purpose of the Young Democrats is to stimulate involvement and participation in politics from an informed and intelligent position. The only requirement for membership to this club is your political choice. Some activities planned for this year include several political speakers discussing different topics related to politics, a fieldtrip to the State Capitol, and panel discussions between Democrats and Republicans

Members: Brenda Perrott—Pres.; Joseph Byrd—V. Pres.; James Cook—Sec.—Treas. Dr. Clarence Thurman is the sponsor; Mr. Fellabaum and Dr. Thomson are the co-sponsors



Wonder what happened to these two groups?

Republicans Attend Convention

The College Republicans Club is a college campus political interest organization. The purpose of this organization is the promotion Republican ideals and the strengthening of individual responsibility towards the American way of life. The only requirement for membership is that a student have a genuine interest in the Republican form of government that we all, as Americans share. Some activities planned for this year are several membership drives, panel discussions, guest speakers, and the attending of the statewide Annual Republican Convention in Jackson.

Members: David Gratta—Pres.; Daniel Long—V. Pres.; David Brown—Sec.—Treas.; Albert Anderson, Charles Brown, Kathy Farmer, Raul Jaramillo, Kenneth Murphy, Anthony Myrick. Dr. Thomas Lott is

Pre-[illegible] Club Attends Court Sessions

The Pre-Law Club i[illegible] dents interested in [illegible] work. The purpose of [illegible] supplement pre-professional [illegible] standing of the field of law. Some activities planned for this year include several speakers to address the group about subjects pertinent to aspiring law students, and opportunities to witness court in session. Members: Daniel Long—Pres.; Mary Jane Britton—V. Pres.; Brenda Perrot—Sec.-Treas.; Charles Brown, James Cook, Richard Davis, Julian Graham, David Gratta, Harriet Hart, Walter Hollon, Owen King, Gina Ladner, Rick O'Claire, Frank Skelly. The sponsor of this organization is Jack Rogers.

The times they are a changin'

The 1982 snowstorm

The Death and Life of Sneaky Fitch

WCC Theatre never ages

Carpenter's wood

WCC clubs are still going strong.

Spotlight

Chase Moore
SGA President

Beginnings: January 31, 1975, Meridian, MS

Why WCC: Best scholarship offers and they are the only school in the Southeast that has an Old Testament archaeologist on staff.

Best thing about WCC: The atmosphere, it's very conducive to growth and the fact that you are able to get past the professor/student relationship.

What I would change about WCC: The appearance, the school needs a face lift.

Last Meal: Something that doesn't cause heartburn; Maine lobster with garlic and butter sauce, a Big Mac (mayo only), fries, a big caesar salad, cheddar bay biscuits from Red Lobster, my mom's old fashioned strawberry shortcake, water and a rum and coke

My best asset: gift for administration

Favorite activity: Vegitating in front of the T.V.

Most Valued Possession: The friendships made while at WCC

One thing I've learned from life: He who wants to be successful knows how much to give up to go up.

Nobody knows I; am a closet Christian music fan.

Advice I'd give a freshman: Don't give up what you want tomorrow for what you want today and if you want success do whatever it takes to meet those goals.

(top-bottom)Bass Hall is ready for the incoming freshman. Tangie Moudy and Mark Celoria take a break at an SGA Skate Night. Curt Hale, Rebecca Dockens, and Jerry Lewis participate in a group builder activity at the SGA retreat.

Alpha Chi Honor Society

The Alpha Chi Honor Society

Shannon Robert pins a new AX member.

Justin Busby signs the member's book.

Leanne Burris is happy to be pinned as new AX member.

"The desire of knowledge, like the thirst of riches, increases ever with the acquisition of it." Lawrence Sterne

Omicron Delta Kappa Honor Society

(left-right) Dr. Laird-sponsor, Jason Coker, Pamela Lenard, Jon Celoria, Danny Davis, Todd Cole, Kim Funches, Charla Jeter, Amanda Blackwell, Jennie Morgan, Dana Watson

Jason Coker signs the member's book.

Pamela Lenard pins Todd Cole as a new member.

Dana Watson gets pinned as a new ODK member.

"The final test of a leader is that he leaves behind him in other men the conviction and will to carry on ... "Walter Lippman

Sigma Tau Delta

"I write from my knowledge not my lack, from my strength not my weakness..." Lucille Clifton

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Chi Beta Phi

"Science is the search for truth." Linus Carl Pauling

Just A Thought

The College Food Chain

THE DEAN

Leaps tall buildings in a single bound.
Is more powerful than a locomotive
Is faster than a speeding bullet.
Walks on water
Gives policy to God

THE DEPARTMENT HEAD

Leaps short buildings in a single bound
Is more powerful than a switch engine
Is just as fast as a speeding bullet
Talks with God

PROFESSOR

Leaps short buildings with a running start and favorable winds
Is almost as powerful as a switch engine
Is faster than a speeding BB
Walks on water in an indoor swimming pool
Talks with God if a special request is honored

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Barely clears a quonset hut
Loses tug of war with a locomotive
Can fire a speeeding bullet
Swims well
Is occassionally addressed by God

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

Makes high marks on the walls when trying to leap tall buildings
Is run over by locomotives
Can sometimes handle a gun without inflicting self-injury
Treads water
Talks to animals

INSTRUCTOR

Climbs walls continually
Rides the rails
Plays Russian Roulette
Walks on thin ice
Prays a lot

DEPARTMENT SECRETARY

Lifts buildings and walks under them
Kicks locomotives off the tracks
Catches speeding bullets in her teeth and eats them
Freezes water with a single glance
She IS God

Spotlight

Elyse McCrory
Cataloging Librarian/Pi Omega Sponsor

Beginnings: August 29, Yazoo City, MS

Why WCC: Dr. Pound was looking for a cataloger while I was in school and I was looking for a school setting so that I could be with my daughter.

Best thing about WCC: It's a small school where you know everybody

What I would change about WCC: More interaction between the departments

Last meal: A big juicy rib-eye cooked medium rare with all the trimmings

Best asset: I'm a good listener

Favorite Activity: Crafting

Most Valued Possession: My Bible

Nobody knows I: am a very shy person at heart

Advice I'd give a freshman: Remember the teachings of your childhood and keep Christ at the center of your life

Job responsibilities: catalog all library materials, circulation, reference work, for PIO I attend meetings, advise, and oversee all functions and elections

Most fulfilling aspect of my job: Working with the students

Phi Beta Lambda

"There is no better ballast for keeping the mind steady on its keel, and saving it from all risk of crankiness, than business." James Russel Lowell

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Psychology Club

PSYCHOLOGY CLUB

"We should not pretend to understand the world only by the intellect; we apprehend it just as much by feeling." Karl Gustav Jung in Psychological Types

Church Related Vocations

"Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature." Mark 16:15

Afro-American Culture Society

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"The people of culture are the true apostles of equality." Matthew Arnold

Spotlight

Will Wall
BSU President

Beginnings: May 25, 1976 Greensburg, LA

Why WCC? I got enough scholarships to go to school and stay there.

Best thing about WCC: Teachers, small classes

What I would change about WCC: Appearance

Last meal: San Antonio Sirloin from Lone Star with all the trimmings

Best Asset: Dependability and commitment level

Favorite Activity: Golf

Most Valued Possession: Picture of 1966 Mustang my dad bought me

Nobody Knows I: Bungee jumped at Gulf Shores

Responsibilities: Planning, administration, and facilitating and directing the BSU and its activities

Advice I'd give a Freshman: Be specific in what you get involved in

(top-bottom) Jamie Baylis, Amanda Blackwell, and Matt Jackson visit during Homecoming. Relaxing at Survival Weekend. A tired Survival Weekender

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Gama Chi Social Club

"Knowledge and Grace"

Pi Omega Social Club

"So just keep on smiling whatever betide you, secure in the knowledge that God is always beside you."

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Student Government Association

An SGA planning session at Pecan Shadows

Pam Malloof carries a load as the SGA helped new students move in.

(Standing) Lee Stauter, Chase Moore-President, Curt Hale, Noel Guy, Brian Lucas, Robin Murrhead, Trinia Blackmon, Charla Jeter (middle) Matt Celoria, Rebecca Dockens, Jerry DeFatta, Laura Anne Dowdle, Jerry Lewis, (sitting) Tangie Moody, Lori Ezell, Merryl Taylor - Sponsor, Mandy Trammell

Merryl the Motivator

"The mind of man is capable of anything - because everything is in it, all the past as well as all the future." Joseph Conrad

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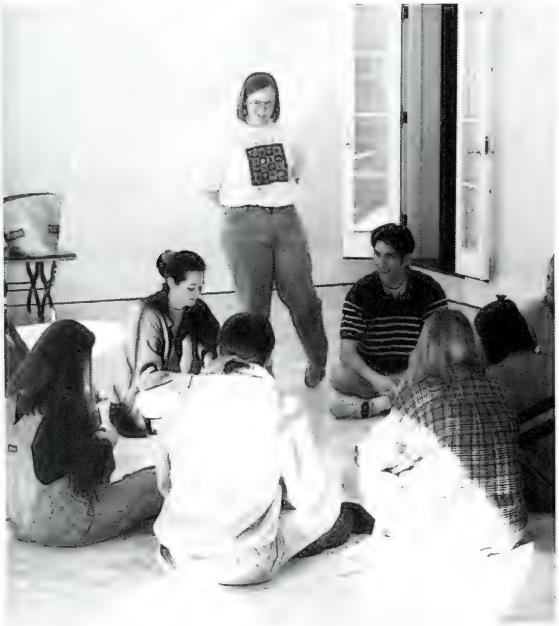
Moving in!!

Only teamwork could help the winners of this SGA retreat game.



Pecan Shadows planning sessions

More teamwork lessons!

SGA SGA SGA SGA SGA

Baptist Student Union

Summer Missionaries (front) Melanie Grimes, Jessica Massey, Amanda Hughes, Ginger Martin, Meshay Lee, Jennie Morgan (back) Michelle Herrin, Wesley Keyes, Andy Winn, Jason Meaux, Christina Crawford

Undivided - Jennifer Donohoo, Amanda Hughes, Lor Parker, Jason Bowman, Angela Ray, Kevin Scarborough Ginger Reeves, Alicia Lowery

UPS-COD (left-right) Mandy Trammell, Kim Morris, Todd Cole, Ashley Fitzhugh, Jill Asmussen, Erin Smith

Members of Ultimate Power Source - Christ Only Deliver goof off.

"Go ye therefore into all the world, teaching all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost." Matthew 28:19

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Registering a new batch of "recruits".

Jennie Morgan and Dannie Davis goof off at the BSU Banquet.

Meetin' and greetin' at Survival Weekend.

Gary Maize, a beloved insitution of Survival Weekend.

Several students gathered to participate in See You At the Pole.

Go Wesley ! Go! Push your po-ta-to!

Tim Glaze proudly displays a homemade door prize at the spring Banquet.

DeeDee Fortenberry greets Lori Parker and Julie Magee.

Paul Lee, Michael McNabb and Meta Blanchard try to get it together.

Top 10 Ways to Confuse Your Roommate

As soon as your roommate turns out the lights at night begin singing famous operas as loud as you can. When your roommate turns on the light, look around and pretend to be confused.

2. Put up flyers around the building, reporting that your roommate is missing. Offer a reward for his/her safe return.

3. Whenever your roommate sneezes, go and hide in the closet for about an hour. Look around nervously for the rest of the day.

4. Drink lots of lemonade. Talk obnoxiously for hours about how much you love lemonade. Then one day, paint your face yellow. From then on, complain about how much you hate lemonade.

5. Leave the room at random, knock on the door and wait for your roommate to let you back in. If he/she complains, go on a tangent about the importance of good manners.

6. Talk like a pirate all the time. Threaten to make your roommate walk the plank if he/she doesn't swab the deck. Arrrrrrrgh!

7. Watch "Psycho" every day for a month. Then act excited everytime your roommate goes to the shower.

8. While your roommate is out, glue your shoes to the ceiling. When your roommate walks in, sit on the floor shaking your head and moan.

9. Call your roommate Clyde by accident. Start doing so every so often. Increase the frequency over the next few weeks until you are calling him Clyde everyday. If your roommate protests, say "I'm sorry. I won't do that anymore Murray."

10. Sign your roommate up for various activities (campus tour guide, blood donor, organ donor...)

Spotlight

Merryl Taylor
Student Activities Director

Beginnings: January 20, 1972, Birmingham, AL

Why WCC: I felt that "fit"

Best thing about WCC: The students

What I would change about WCC: The appearance, a well kept campus gives students a sense of pride in their school.

Last meal: Swiss Cake Rolls and Yoo Hoo's

Favorite activity: Must See TV! and Choral singing

Most Valued Possession: Photo albums

One Thing I've learned from life: Be an encourager of others and you will be encouraged.

Job responsibilities: I advise SGA, yearbook and newspaper, cheerleaders, and manage the coffee house.

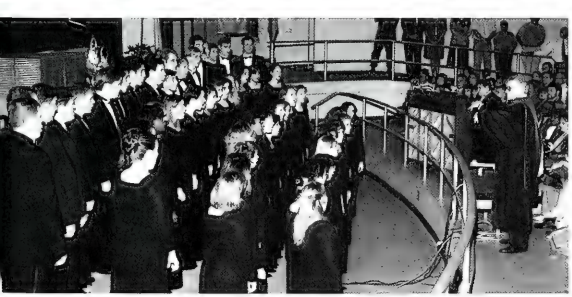
Most fulfilling aspect of my job: Helping students discover their own potential and actively working to achieve a sense of community on campus.

Most important thing in my life: Creating and maintaining relationships based on honesty and the love God intended

WCC Chorale

Jeremy Adcock
Jill Assmussen
Jason Bowman
Kim Brady
Jonathan Brooke
Melany Bryant
Rebekah Caston
Jon Celoria
Matt Celoria
Mark Celoria
Todd Cole
Christie Crabtree
Debbie Darbonne
Danny Davis
Rosemary Davis
Brad Day
Lee Dobbins
Jennifer Donohoo
Marc Douglas
Kristen Drake
Todd Dubose
Kim Funches
Gina Garrison
Melanie Grimes
Noel Guy
Melody Hauberry
Stephanie Hauberry
Kim Harrison
Ryan Hays
Kelly Hennington
Neil Herrin
Emily Howton
Amanda Hughes
David Jacks
Charla Jeter
Manda Jenkins
Barbie Jones
Carra Kent
Jennifer Lee
Pamela Lenard
Benji Lott
Kim Malone
Korrey Mattingly
Michael McNatt
Bevin McRoberts
James Meadows
Marvin Miller
Danny Painter
Alicia Parker
Lori Parker
Alison Purvis
Debbie Riels
Brooke Robinson
Suzanne Rorabaugh
Kevin Scarbrough
Kourtney Scheel
Shannon Sharp
Olga Shewchisna
Thomas Slawson
Allanda Small
Starla Spalding
Michael Springstead
Janet Sullivan
Lisa Taylor
Jimmy Thornhill
Brandy Walker
Bradley White
Parry Williams
Rita Wilson
Traci Woods
Sonja Wright

Chorale Officers



"I have a song to sing O! Sing me your song O!" W.S. Gilbert

Symphonic Winds

FLUTES
Jennifer Cook
Deborah Havard
Stephanie Stringer
Shelley Nichols
Rebecca Arthur
Pam Mackey
Amanda Taylor
Robin Muirhead
Sunshine Foy

CLARINETS
Debbie Riels
Karen Kyles
Yariela Rodriguez
Regina Gardner
Gina Garison

BASS CLARINET
Carra Kent

SAXOPHONE
Andrea Robinson
Ryan Hays
Gregory Futral

FRENCH HORN
Stephen Stringer
Jimmy Thornton

TRUMPETS
Walter McIntosh
Drew Whittington
Brad Day
Buddy Knott

TROMBONES
Lindsay Thornton
Franklin Adams

BARITONES
Todd Cole
Tim Walker
Charles Patrick

TUBAS
Andrew Ford
Benji Lott

STRING BASS
Danny Davis

PERCUSSION
Harold Martin
Kim Malone
Jeremy Adcock
Parry Williams
Stephen Jordan
Jay Lacey
Dawn Daugherty

STAGE MANAGER
Doug Wassoon

"I was born with music in me." Ray Charles

Spotlight

Will Hansen
Admissions Counselor

Beginnings: October 1, 1971, Long Beach, MS

Best thing about WCC: Students

Why WCC: I wanted to pursue opportunities in higher education.

What I would change about WCC: The fact that we are the best kept secret in the South.

Last meal: Boiled shrimp, roasted garlic potatoes, 8 ounce 2" thick filet cooked medium, fresh spinach salad with ricotta cheese, and fresh asparagus with a light vinegrette dressing.

Most Valued Possession: My grandfather's wedding band.

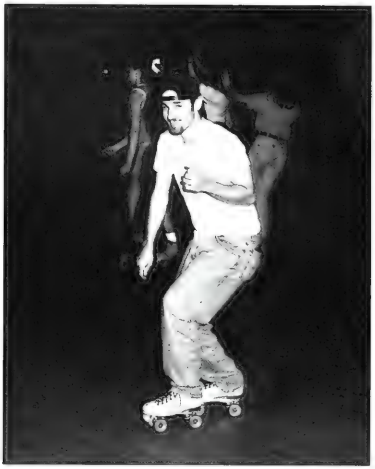
Nobody knows I: was voted best dressed boy in high school.

One thing I've learned from life: If you have the chance to do something do it today because you might not be able to do it tomorrow.

Job responsibilities: Travelling to high schools and community colleges to recruit new students.

Advice I'd give a freshman: Extend college at least 5 years and don't declare a major too quickly.

Most important thing in my life: My wife.



(top-bottom) Femeka, Carla and Demetric putting on the Ritz. Roller King Curt. Chris Smith and John Smith perform at the SG[illegible] House.

Forensics/Pi Kappa Delta

Two debate teams from William Carey College are co-national champions and the WCC Speech and Debate Team (Forensics) is second in the nation. They competed in the Pi Kappa Delta National Tournament held in Cincinnati, Ohio.

In addition to placing second overall at the tournament, the Carey team also placed third in individual events sweepstakes and second in debate sweepstakes. Southwest Baptist University (Missouri), perennial national champions, placed first and Concordia College of Minnesota place third. Over eighty colleges and universities from across the nation competed.

The national champion debate teams are John Miller of Columbia and Leanne Burris of Diamondhead, and Jonathan Watts of McComb and Chris Smith of Pearl. WCC "cleared out" the final round of novice parliamentary debate. This means that the two teams won all of their elimination rounds and advanced to the final round. When the two teams reaching the finals are from the same school they are declared co-national champions.

"Without question it has been an outstanding year. I'm so privileged to be able to work with such a fine group of young scholars. I've always believed that Mississippi's best and brightest could compete with anyone, and now I'm convinced. The students have worked hard all year and deserve this recognition," says Tom Huebner, director of Forensics.

Students are given a superior rating for placing in the top ten percent of competitors in their event, the next twenty percent received an excellent rating, and the following twenty percent receive a good rating.

Shannon Clark, a theatre major from Tupelo, in placing second in the nation, received a superior rating in program oral interpretation. He achieved an excellent rating in group discussion and a rating of good in prose, dramatic interpretation, and poetry interpretation.

Mandy Trammell, who placed third and received a superior rating in group discussion, is a communication major from Florence. In addition she received a good ranking in impromptu speaking.

Candace Cochran, an English major from Pearl, received a superior rating in persuasive speaking and an excellent rating in group discussion. She received good ratings in prose, duo interpretation and communication analysis.

Brian Lucas, a junior communication major from Pearl received a superior rating in ADS, and excellent rating in informative speaking and a good rating in impromptu.

John Miller, a communication and history major from Columbia, received a superior rating in impromptu speaking, an excellent rating in communication analysis and a good rating in extemporaneous speaking.

Justin Bunton, a theatre major from Loranger, Louisiana, received a superior rating in group discussion and good ratings in dramatic interpretation and poetry interpretation.

Jon Celoria, a junior history major from Smithdale, received excellent ratings in after dinner speaking (ADS), persuasive speaking, impromptu speaking, and poetry interpretation. He received a good rating in informative speaking and was a quarterfinalist in parliamentary debate.

Leanne Bennett Burris, an English and Spanish major, received excellent ratings in ADS, persuasive speaking, extemporaneous speaking, and impromptu speaking. She received a good rating in poetry interpretation.

Jonathan Watts, a theatre major, received excellent ratings in duo interpretation and poetry interpretation. He received a good rating in program oral interpretation.

Chris Smith, a communication major, received excellent ratings in impromptu speaking and duo interpretation. He received a good rating in communication analysis.

Roger Lott, a communication major from Pearl, received an excellent rating in ADS and good ratings in persuasive speaking and impromptu speaking.

Melanie Grimes, a music major from Hattiesburg, received a good rating in duo interpretation.

"We started this year knowing we had a strong team. We expected success at the regional level, but the national tournament was our collective goal. With everyone pulling together and working hard, we reached the team goal and exceeded the expectations of many," says Lott.

Huebner serves as lieutenant governor of the PKD Province of the Southeast. Carey is affiliated with PKD, the nation's largest honorary speech and debate fraternity, at the 1995 national tournament.

(left backrow) Jon Celoria Justin Bunton, (fourth row) Brian Lucas, Shannon Clark John Miller-PKD President (third row) Chris Smith, Roge Lott, (second row) Mand Trammell, Tom Huebner Director of Forensics; Canda Cochran, (front row) Leann Burris, Melanie Grimes, Jack Outley-not pictured, Jonatha Watts

"He hath a heart as sound as a bell, and his tongue is the clapper; for what his heart thinks his tongue speaks" - Shakespeare.

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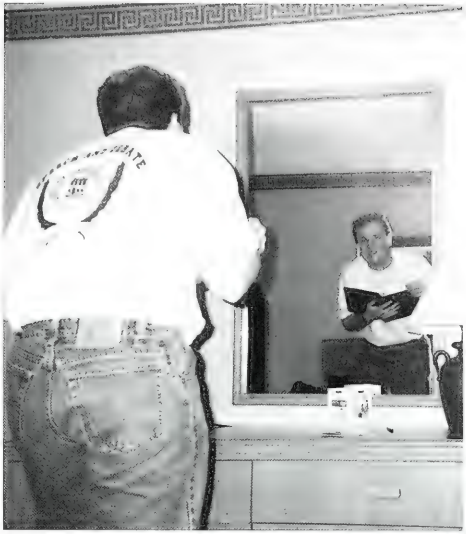

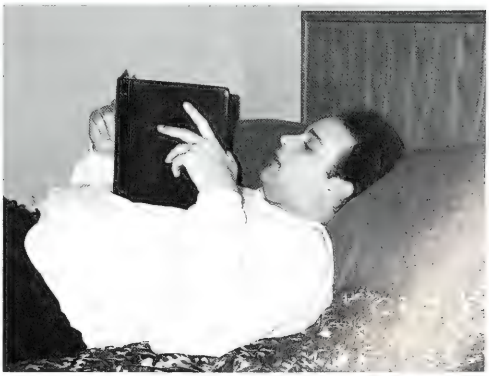

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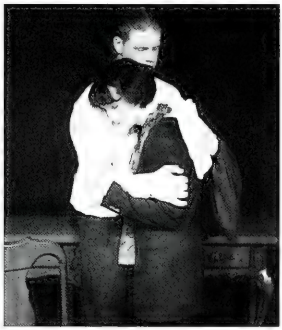
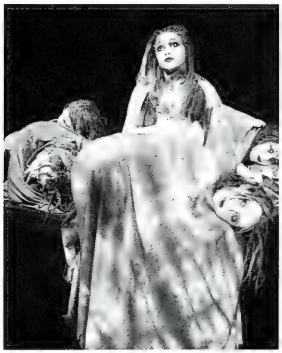
Alpha Psi/Serampore Players

Mediocrity knows nothing higher than its self, but talent instantly recognizes genius. - Sir Arthur Conan Doyle "The Valley of Fear" (1914)

Theatre

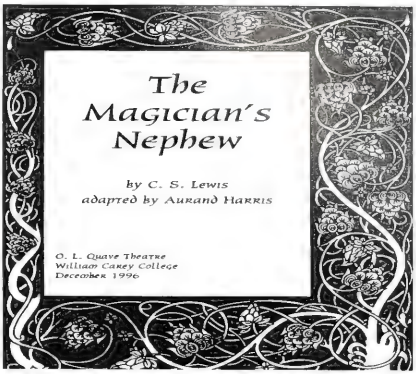
It Could Have Happened Once Upon a Time

O. L. Quave Theatre
William Carey College
Hattiesburg, Mississippi

October 1996

Narrator One...Shannon Clark
Narrator Two...Kimberly Dupree
Bubba Gene Pigue...Jonathan Watts
Joe Bob Pigh...Jason Stoker
Jimmy Jack Pigg...Paul Lee
B.B. Wolfe...Jae Sims
A Stranger...Steven Cruthirds
The Wolvereens...Carrie Cartier, Jennifer Coghlan
Little Red...Jamie Jackson
Warren "Woody" Woods...James Mitchell
Grandma...Dana Davenport
Golden Locks...Rebecca Rice
Ted Beyer...Jonathan Watts
Ben Beyer...Jason Stoker
George Beyer...Paul Lee
The Chef...Steven Cruthirds
Director...Obra L. Quave
Book and Lyrics...Shannon Robert
Music...Jamie Jackson and C. Glen Matthews

The Magician's Nephew

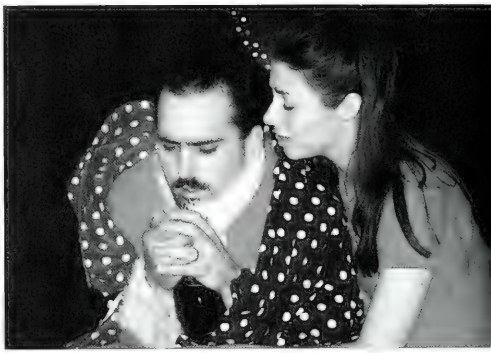


Uncle Andrew...C. Glen Matthews
Aunt Letty...Shannon Robert
Digory...Paul Lee
Polly...Jamie Jackson
Queen Jadis...Jennifer Coghlan
Angel/Tree...Rebecca Rice
Aslan...Jonathan Watts
Bird...Kristi Kelley
Monkey...Jason Stoker
Duck...Steven Cruthirds
Rabbit...Justin Bunton
Bear...Shannon Clark
Director...Shannon Robert

Reckless

Reckless
by Craig Lucas

O. L. Quave Theatre
William Carey College
April 1997

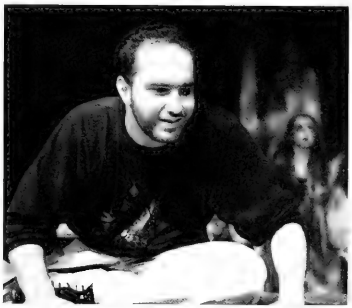


Rachel...Jamie Jackson
Tom, Derelict, Man in Ski Mask...Paul Lee
First Announcer, Tom Jr....Zane Hartfield
Second Announcer, Derelict...Tison Hegwood
Third Announcer, Trish, Woman Patient...Carrie Cartier
Lloyd...Jonathan Watts, Pooty, Dr. Helen Carroll, Derelict, Receptionist...Jennifer Coghlan
Roy, Tim Tinko, Talk Show Host, Derelict...James Mitchell
Doctors One Through Six...Shannon Clark
Director...Rob Mulholland

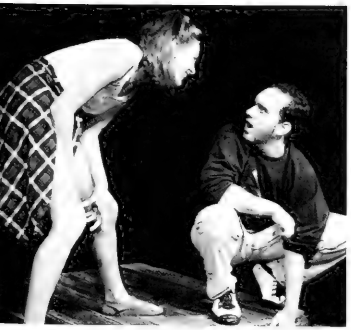
One Acts

As Angels Watch
Director...Shannon Clark
Waiter...Jarrod Hegwood
Mary...Kristi Kelley
Joe...Drew Evans
Victoria...Parker McMullan
Benjamin...James Mitchell

Feeding the Moonfish
Director...Jamie Jackson
Martin...Jonathan Watts
Eden...Carrie Cartier
Moonfish...Gaby Chatham, Karen Kyles, Amanda Hughes, Rebecca Rice, Katie Roberts, Margaret Roberts



An Empty Space
Director...Priscella Jones
Rich...Tison Hegwood
Judy...Jennifer Coghlan



Clubs Not Pictured

Kappa Mu Epsilon
Music Educator's National Convention
Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia
Phi Omega Sigma
Pi Gamma Mu
Pi Kappa Delta
Student Foundation
Student National Educators Association
Student Nurses Association

Sportlight

Cheryl Hunt
Sigma Tau Delta President

Beginnings: August 12, 1974, Natchez, MS

Why WCC: Scholarships, it was a small school

Best thing about WCC: English department

What I would change about WCC: I wish they'd lighten up and treat us like adults.

Last meal: Steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn on the cob, homemade biscuits

Best Asset: Open minded

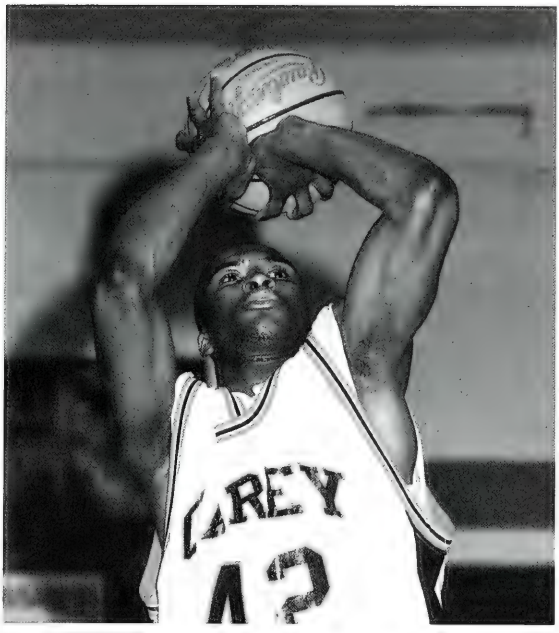
Favorite activity: learning little known facts

Most valued possession: Photo album

Nobody knows I: am a pro-wrestling freak

Responsibilities: Preview Day, inform members of upcoming events

Advice I'd give a freshman: Know your limits; do what you want to do - not what others want you to do



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SPORTS

Sports Through the Years

School sports have always played an important role in the lives of college students. William Carey College is no exception, with nationally ranked teams on two campuses. Institutional athletics were intended to give college students a sense of teamwork, discipline, self motivation, leadership and fun. In a time when professional sports are under attack because of money and appearances, it is refreshing to see athletes at the college level who play because they have heart, and fans who come and support their teams because they appreciate that. Play ball!

The 1972-73 William Carey College Globe trot...er, ah- Crusaders!

William Carey's first soccer team.

Our first tennis team.

The infamous WCC wrestling team.

Sports excitement continues with today's WCC teams.

Letter Jackets?

Through the years - the crowd is still one of the most important parts of WCC sports.

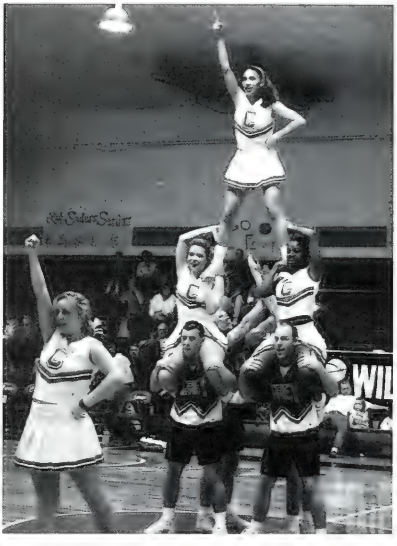
Cheerleaders

Back Row-Left to Right) Bobby John Panni, Shane Overstreet, Scott Alexander, Jason Padgett, Brian Parker. Front Row) Michelle Bowser, Tera Benjamin, Yariela Rodriquez, Lacy McIntosh, (Center) Ginger Martin

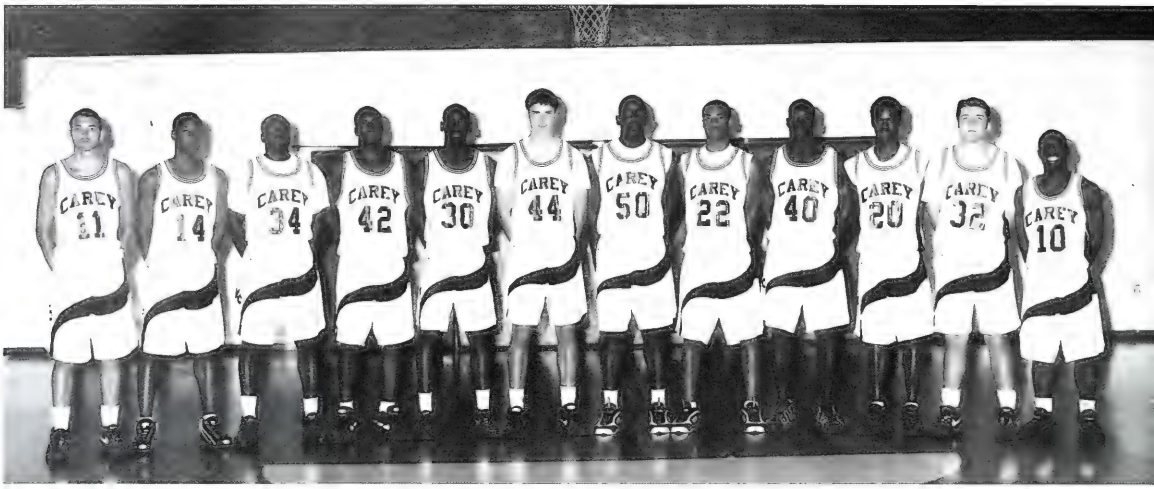
Team Captains - Bobby John Panni and Michell Bowser

A lieswrely day at Merryl's house.

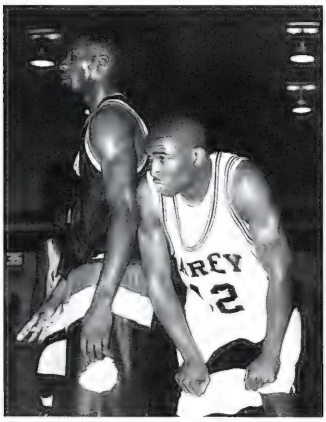
At WCC, everyone wants to be a cheerleader!



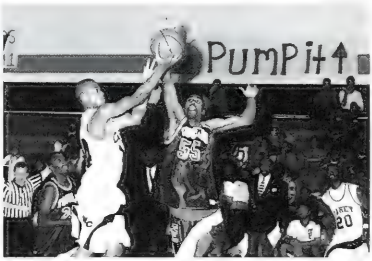
Men's Basketball



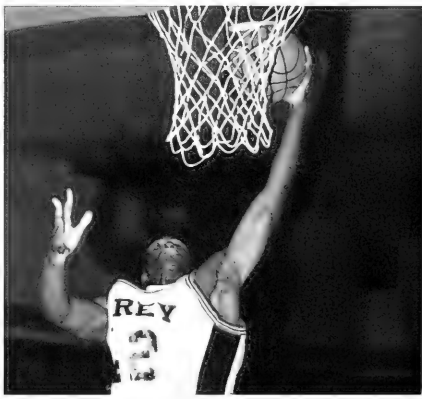
Left to right: Josh Hawthorn, Alan Stinson, Tony Minor, Jermaine Bryant, Stacy Comegys, Brad Hodges, Kelton Pope, Devin Johnson, Art Wheaton, Reginea Ford, Eric Burt, Dexter Pugh.



Jermaine waits to make his move.

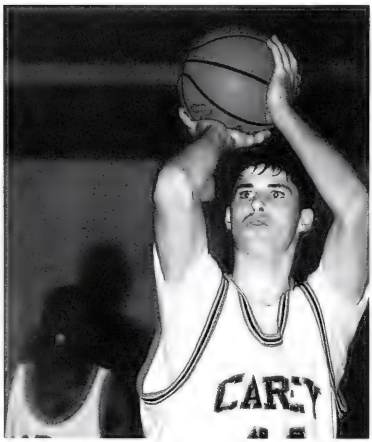


Alan Stinson looking fine.



Jermaine Scores!

The spectacular Supersader!

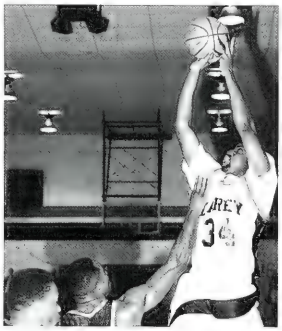


Brad in the groove.

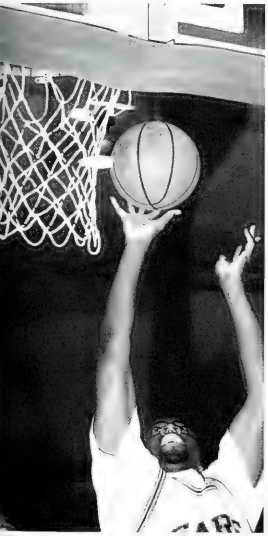
Coach Knight giving halftime pointers.

Coach English, Coach Brumfield, and Coach Knight say goodbye to seniors Tony and Jermaine.

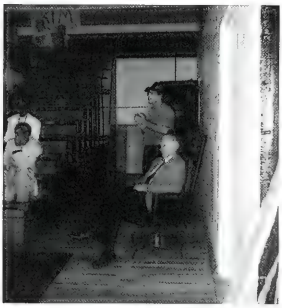
Kyle Pope is poetry in motion.



Tony Minor takes aim.



Tony scores!



Doc Waddle on his throne.

Devin on the defensive move.

Go Jermaine, Go!

Keeping Score...

WCC	104	64	Selma
WCC	115	86	Selma
WCC	106	83	Louisiana Christian
WCC	72	102	Christian Brothers
WCC	83	93	Birmingham-Southern
WCC	96	89	West Florida
WCC	80	64	Arkansas-Monticello
WCC	80	104	Gardner-Webb
WCC	100	84	Bacher-Scotia
WCC	89	63	Christian Brothers
WCC	89	82	West Florida
WCC	71	86	Birmingham-Southern
WCC	81	71	Arkansas-Monticello
WCC	81	103	Louisiana Christian
WCC	72	73	Mobile
WCC	65	66	Belhaven
WCC	62	78	Dillard
WCC	66	72	Southern University of New Orleans
WCC	91	72	Loyola
WCC	56	68	Spring Hill
WCC	94	80	Louisiana College
WCC	79	62	Xavier
WCC	85	62	Loyola
WCC	84	80	Belhaven
WCC	76	81	Tougaloo
WCC	70	71	Dillard
WCC	70	59	Xavier
WCC	63	62	Spring Hill
WCC	91	80	Louisiana College
WCC	80	78	Mobile
WCC	85	96	Tougaloo
WCC	80	77	Southern University of New Orleans
GULF COAST ATHLETIC CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT			
WCC	99	90	Mobile
WCC	71	70	Southern University of New Orleans
WCC	68	66	Spring Hill - GCAC CHAMPIONS!!!
NAIA NATIONAL TOURNAMENT-Division I			
WCC	79	82	Hawaii Pacific

Carey Crusaders in a pre-game

Women's Basketball

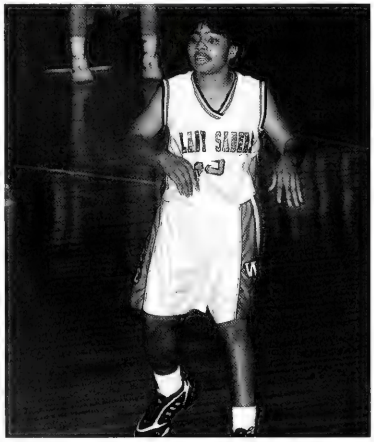
Left to Right: Genia Griffin, Angela Martin, Rhonda Louis, Donnis Casanave, Monica Lockhart, Dana Watson, Lashontay Brumfield, Kimm Ducksworth, Latassela Covington, Karla Staats, Kelli Grimsley, Dana Williams. Not Pictured: Dereta Jones, Cynthia Thompson.

Getting Psyched for another WCC win!

Karla Staats drives in another breakway point.

Coach English directs the play.

Chancellor and Mrs. Edwards and Dr. and Mrs. Wheeler show their faculty support!



Cynthia Thompson passes the ball to the inside.

Loyal fans come early to get their favorite seats.

Crusader women getting ready for action.

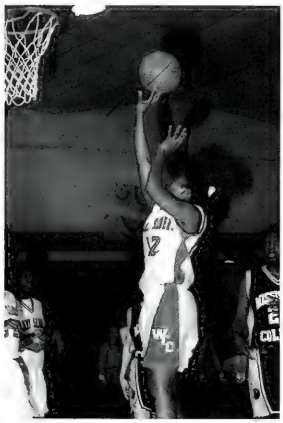
Carey softball players catch the big game.

Monica Lockhart tries to get the ball.

Cindy Thompson attempts to score.

Dana Watson shoots for two!

Happy Saders!



Dereta making the perfect shot.

Keeping Score...

WCC	80	67	Talledega
WCC	72	71	Talledega
WCC	66	52	Blue Mountain
WCC	63	95	West Florida
WCC	67	68	Arkansas-Monticello
WCC	91	96	Blue Mountain
WCC	41	79	McNeese
WCC	59	55	Arkansas-Monticello
WCC	58	60	Mobile
WCC	83	45	Belhaven
WCC	70	60	Dillard
WCC	69	54	Southern University of New Orleans
WCC	71	57	Loyola
WCC	59	53	Mississippi College
WCC	50	54	Spring Hill
WCC	67	83	Louisiana College
WCC	53	62	Xavier
WCC	95	67	Loyola
WCC	65	36	Belhaven
WCC	78	72	Tougaloo
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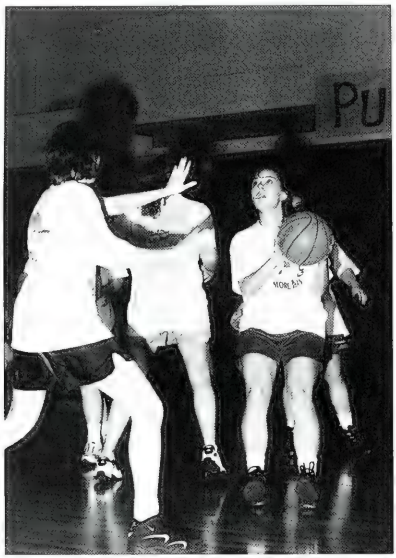
WCC	64	67	Mobile
WCC	84	73	Tougaloo
WCC	47	51	Southern University of New Orleans
WCC	56	58	Mississippi College
WCC	65	62	Dillard

Kimmie Ducksworth breaking the

Intramural Candids

Jerry Lewis could go all the way!

She shoots, she scores!



Dee Dee sets up for a shot.

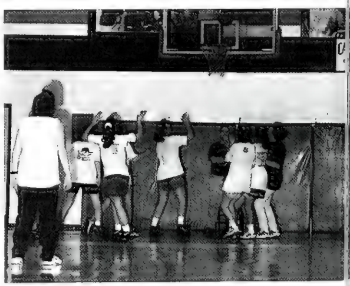
Set...hike!

Michael takes a nice refreshing halftime mud bat

Touchdown!

Shea Caldwell takes aim for a jumpshot.

An easy layup.

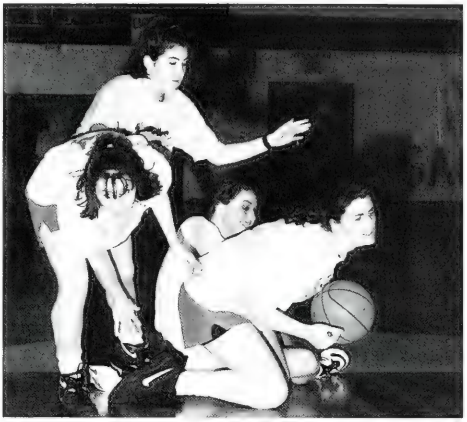


Rebound!

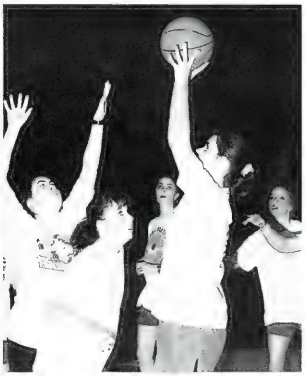
Relaxing moments for Jill and Summers before the game.

Block that shot!

Summers takes aim.



Come on girls - let's share!



Ashley takes a shot.

Intramural athletes need their cheerleaders too!

Grab that flag!

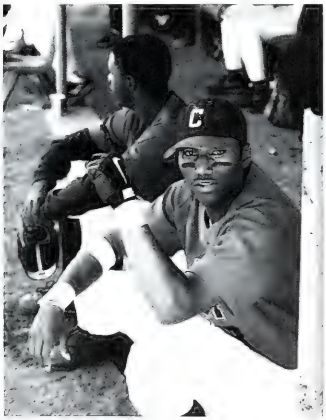
Jason Coke[illegible]s off for the BSU team.

Anybody see the ball?

Everybody follow that ball!

Baseball

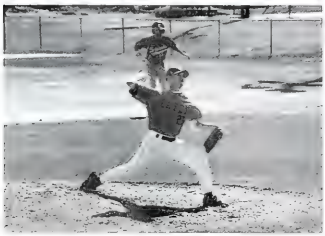
First (bottom) row: l to r., Cayne Stockstill, Adam Breerwood, John Dobson, Antwoin Ford, Chad Bryant, David Cox, Wesley Keyes. Second Row: David Rhiner, Ryan Shipman, Graduate Assistant Ma Enis, Graduate Assistant Craig Fletcher, Head Coach Bobby Halford, Graduate Assistant Stephen Fuller, Jim Franks, Joey Herrington. Third row: Randy Hagar, Greg King, Chris Lee, Brock Daniel Rod Lewis, Marc Devereaux, Ryan Stringer, Lee Draughn, Nick McIntosh, Eugene Linden. Fourth Row: John Gillis, Keith Dennis, Perry Miley, Niel Gregg, Justin Adams, Ben Stein, Bart Carte Johnny Buckly, Frank Baugh, Corey Tate.



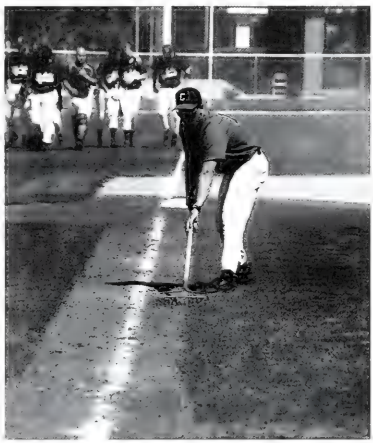
Perry Miley anxiously awaits his next at bat.

Chad Bryant races the baseball to first base.

"You want me to what?"



And the pitch...



Craig Fletcher makes sure those baselines are ready.

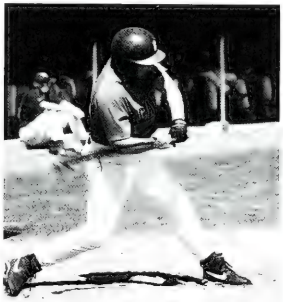
Reading the signs from coach...

A close call at first base!

Antwion Ford psyches up for a game.

Diggin' the dug out.

High fives for the home team!



Another hit for WCC!

One more strike for Frank Baugh!

Coach Halford and his fan!

What a record!

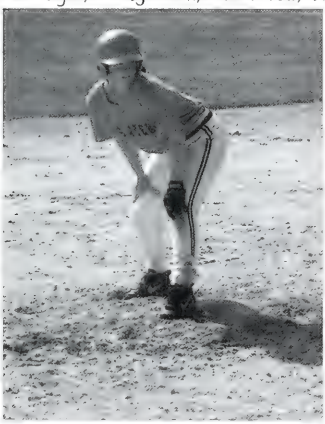
WCC	0	7	Central Arkansas
WCC	11	0	Central Arkansas
WCC	8	3	Mary Hardin-Baylor
WCC	8	1	Mary Hardin-Baylor
WCC	5	1	West Florida
WCC	11	0	Loyola of New Orleans
WCC	4	2	Loyola Of New Orleans
WCC	11	8	Delta State
WCC	4	5	Delta State
WCC	1	0	Gulf Coast Christian
WCC	8	4	Gulf Coast Christian
WCC	12	1	Bellaven
WCC	4	0	Bellaven
WCC	13	4	Arkansas-Monticello
WCC	5	6	Henderson State
WCC	4	5	Central Arkansas
WCC	0	4	Mobile
WCC	2	0	Mobile
WCC	6	1	Arkansas-Monticello
WCC	13	12	West Alabama
WCC	4	12	Mississippi State
WCC	4	5	Louisiana College
WCC	6	1	Louisiana College
WCC	7	6	Lee College
WCC	2	8	Auburn U of Montgomery
WCC	15	1	Auburn U of Montgomery
WCC	11	10	Culver-Stockton
WCC	4	3	Spring Hill
WCC	5	0	Spring Hill
WCC	12	2	Gulf Coast Christian
WCC	17	3	Gulf Coast Christian
WCC	11	4	U of North Alabama
WCC	14	3	Auburn U of Montgomery
WCC	7	1	Auburn U of Montgomery
WCC	3	4	Delta State
WCC	6	3	Delta State
WCC	6	4	West Alabama
WCC	1	4	West Florida
WCC	7	1	West Florida
WCC	16	5	Faulkner
WCC	3	0	Faulkner
WCC	4	3	Mobile
WCC	5	6	Mobile
WCC	2	6	Spring Hill
WCC	6	3	Huntindon
WCC	0	10	Bellaven
WCC	9	4	Bellaven
WCC	2	6	Loyola of New Orleans
WCC	0	6	Loyola of New Orleans
WCC	8	4	Louisiana College
WCC	11	3	Louisiana College
WCC	5	4	Loyola of New Orleans
WCC	1	5	Spring Hill
WCC	10	4	Mobile
WCC	11	2	Spring Hill
WCC	1	6	Spring Hill
WCC	4	9	Incarnate Word
WCC	5	1	Howard Payne
WCC	4	3	Northwood University
WCC	8	7	Incarnate Word
WCC	7	6	Texas Lutheran
WCC	5	6	Dallas Baptist University
Totals			
WCC	43	19	

CONGRATULATIONS SADERS!

Perry Miley rocks and re

Softball

Back Row: Coach Carrie Byrd, Coach Tony Tins, Robin McGinn, Meta Blanchard, Starsha Chautin, Rebecca Thoms, Loren McBeth, Heather Rawson, Jennifer Thomas, Becky Herrington-manager, Coach Jody Diaz. Front Row: Stacey Slater, Melissa Johnson, Wendy Wilkinson, Brandi Guedry, Joy Russel, Jennie Morgan, Wendy Clark, Cherie Cole, Farrah Sanders.



Rebecca Thoms leads off second base...

Jennie Morgan throws another runner out.

Coach Byrd develops a winning strategy.

Base runners haven't got a prayer!

Dana Watson patrols the outfield.

Amazing pitches stumped the opposing teams.

Becky Herrington staying busy with concessions.

Outrunning the throw to first!

SAFE!

How can anyone see that pitch?

Base hit for Dana

Keeping Score...

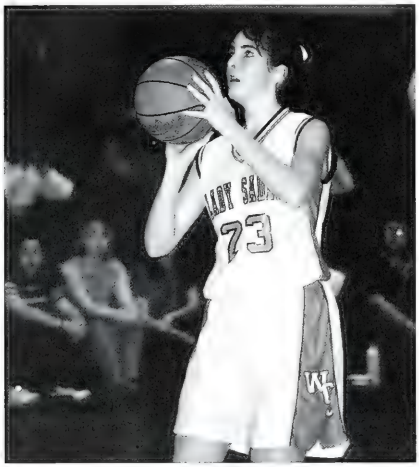
WCC	3	7	Central Arkansas	WCC	0	9	Mobile
WCC	2	4	Delta State	WCC	6	0	Faulkner
WCC	7	2	Christian Brothers	WCC	9	1	Faulkner
WCC	1	7	Mobile	WCC	4	3	North Carolina-Pembroke
WCC	0	8	Mobile				
WCC	1	6	Faulkner	WCC	2	6	Augusta State
WCC	2	5	Faulkner	WCC	9	3	Catawba College
WCC	4	6	Missouri-Rolla	WCC	2	10	Queens College
WCC	1	4	Missouri-Rolla	WCC	2	4	Mississippi Univ. for Women
WCC	1	2	Delta State				
WCC	3	7	Delta State	WCC	0	7	Mississippi Univ. for Women
WCC	4	1	Blinn College				
WCC	7	5	Blinn College	WCC	0	4	Delta State
WCC	10	5	Louisiana College	WCC	6	2	Delta State
WWC	6	1	Louisiana College	WCC	3	4	Belhaven
WCC	8	2	Houston Baptist	WCC	4	8	Belhaven
WCC	1	7	Faulkner	WCC	9	1	Louisiana College
WCC	8	2	Cedarville College	WCC	6	0	Louisiana College
WCC	0	1	Faulkner	WCC	2	7	Belhaven
WCC	0	1	Huntindon College	WCC	3	0	Belhaven
WCC	9	3	Belhaven	WCC	1	6	Mobile
WCC	1	7	Belhaven	Totals			
WCC	0	8	Mobile	WCC	16	25	

Cheese for the camera!

Sports Candids

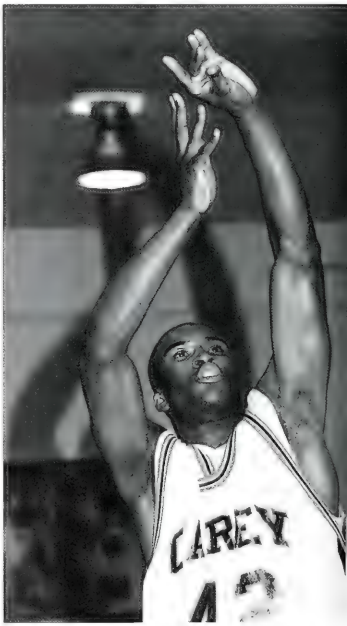
Opponents have to move fast to keep up with Karla!

You've got to run faster than that to make it to first base!



And one!

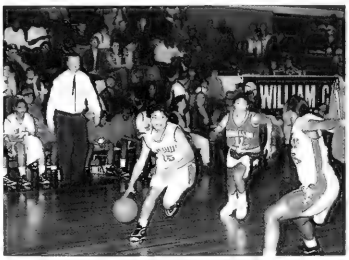
Thomas and Tison - Dedicated fans.



Jermaine Bryant concentrates on a free thro

In the huddle with Coach English.

Allen Stinson takes a tough shot at the hole.



Cynthia Thompson makes a break for the baseline.

Latassela Covington drives through a crowd

Let's go, Saders!

Eugene Linden assesses the situation.

Marc Devereaux takes the pitch.

SAFE! Way to go, Wendy!

Reignea Ford sinks a free throw.

Melissa throws an opponent out at first.

Dr. Edwards helps cheer for the home team!

Dana aims for a home run!

Bart Carter rounds third base.

Carey players eager to play.

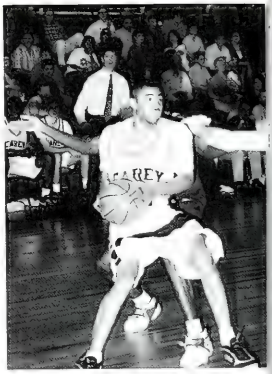
Jermaine fights for two points.

An avid softball suppo[illegible]r. Browning and his daughters enjoy the [illegible]

Reignea cashes in on an offensive rebound.

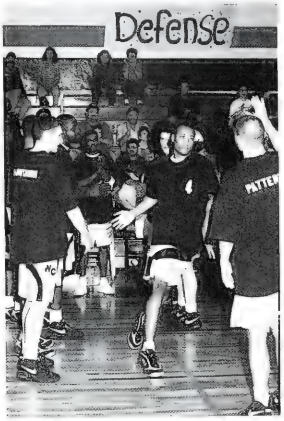
Getting warmed up for the game.

Close play at first.



Double teamed again!

Jermaine slams two points home.

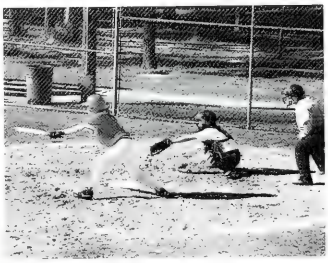


Allen makes an entrance.

Latassela concentrates under the board for two.

Fans always keep players on th toes at the baseball games!

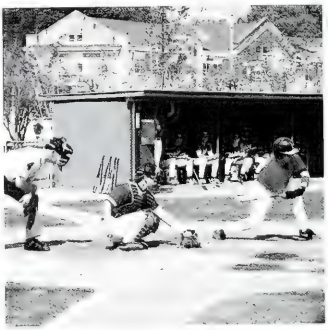
Game Strategy 101!



Base hit!

A skilled pass to an o shooter.

A psyched up huddle.



Good eye!

Good catch, Perry!

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ACTIVITIES

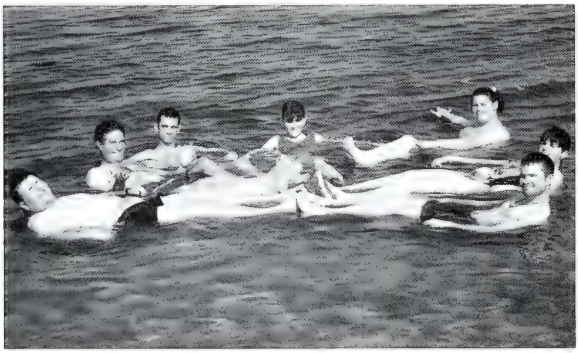
Summer Travel and

The Summer Travel and Excavation Program, now in its fifth year, is designed to provide a variety of experiences to William Carey students and interested lay persons. The program includes an intensive tour of biblical and historical sites in Israel. On June 20, 1996, Drew Evans, Michael Skaggs, Chris Wallace, Traci Larremore, Jennie Morgan, Micah Rutland, Becky Herrington, and JoAnn Williams, led by Dr. Daniel C. Browning, began a five and a half week quest for knowledge. The students toured important biblical sites of Israel and Jordan and received hands on training in biblical archaeology.

The archaeological work centered on Tel Beth Shean, a mound of ruins built up over centuries of occupation and which contains the remains of successive cities, chiefly from the Old Testament period. Beth Shean is best known as the site where Saul's body was hung on the walls (1 Sam. 31:10-12). Carey students worked primarily in remains from the 12th-10th centuries BC (the Biblical period of the Judges through the reign of King Solomon).

Participating students are excited about the educational and experiential value of the program. Becky Herrington said, "This trip was the highlight of my college career. Seeing and walking in the places of the Bible has given a whole new dimension to my faith." The Summer Travel and Excavation program is just one of the many experiences students will take from William Carey through the years.

Jennie Morgan inspects a camel at Petra.



Carey group floats in the Dead Sea.

Crusaders in their castle at Nimrud.

Church attendance was not neglected--in the cathedral at Jerash, Jordan.

Michael Skaggs on the Mount of Olives overlooking the Holy City of Jerusale

Excavation Program

(top-bottom, left) Chris Wallace "picking and grinning" at Beth Shean. Earring and signet ring found at Beth Shean. Becky, Michael, Drew, and Tracy in their excavation war paint. Into Jerusalem via the Jaffa Gate. (center) More crusader action at the fortress Mirabel. Life at the harsh excavation camp. Hear no evil, see no evil, speak no evil, evil(Micah). Becky Herrington-a moment of danger? (right) Jennie, Becky, JoAnn in tunnels at Herodium. At the Canaanite high place of Gezer. Drew Evans "digs" working at Beth Shean. Michael is cool in the heat of Beth Shean.

SGA Activities

Lori and buddy help get the coffee house ready for construction.

Great music from Shannon and Brad.

Marshmallow roasting after Homecoming.

Let's make a deal, Curt!

Good music, good food, who could ask for anything more?

That can't be comfortable!

Laser Mania Night

Having a little trouble Trinia?

At Let's Make a Deal.

Don't like to skate? No problem.

Sweeping on a SGA work day.

Bonfires are great places for fun.

Sanding chairs for the coffee house.

More great music at Spring Fling.

Jamie Jackson and Glen Matthews sing at SGA Coffee House night.

Love that varnish!

Smiling faces are everywhere at SGA events.

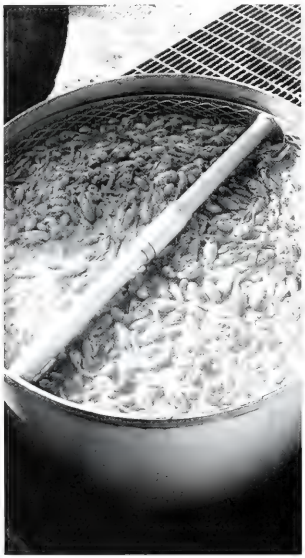
Souvenir hunt.

Spring Fling and Crawfish Boil

Dr. and Mrs. Noonkester wouldn't pass up good crawfish.

Jeremy, Kelly, Wes and Karla love their crawfish.

Curt and Hanan enjoy the day.



Soup's On!

Keith, Shannon, and Noel wow the crowds with great music.

Fine China!

Love them Mudbugs!

Best service anywhere!

It's not just the students who love Spring Fling! Dr. Noonkester, Obra Quave, Shannon Robert, and Mrs. Noonkester enjoy their crawfi

Feel the love!

Assume the crawfish eating position.

Slippery little bugs aren't they!

Even the kids love Spring Fling.

Merryl Taylor and Will Hansen are best buds!

So much work for so little food!

y and eat me, will you? A vengeful crawfish threatens Amanda Blackwell.

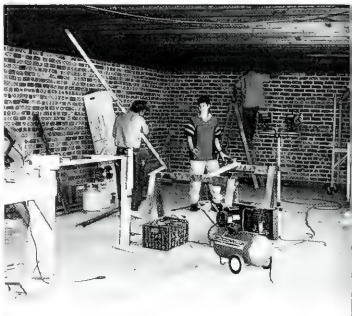
Ready for seconds? Thirds?!

Cajun-Blackened marshmallows!

Gama Chi takes Spring Fling [illegible] - sort of.

Coffee House

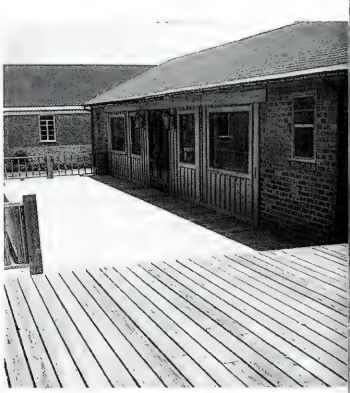
Before...



Building begins

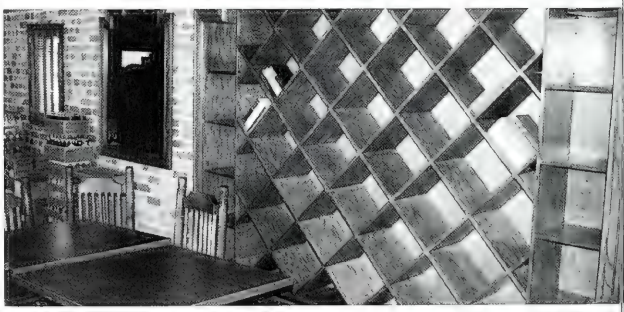
Under construction

This used to be a garage?



After!

Enjoy the variety of drinks and snacks served at the Common Grounds.



Set your books down, enjoy the relaxing atmosphere.

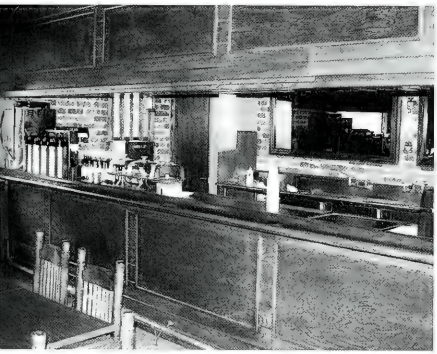
Wendy Watts and Lori Ezell unwind at the end of a tough day of classes.

"Common Grounds"

I came up with the idea of the coffee house in the Spring of 1996 as I was planning to run for the position of Student Government President. Being a student I knew the need for a place constructed for the sole purpose of providing an atmosphere conducive for interaction between all bodies on the Carey campus. After I was elected in the Spring of 1996, the idea was put on hold for the upcoming year. While away for the summer I was contacted by the Dean of Students, David Hester, to come back to Carey to meet a potential candidate of the position of Director of Student Activities. This was one of the most important events in the formation of the coffee house. The candidate's name was Merryl Taylor. After meeting in Lawrence Hall, Merryl, Dean Hester and myself left to go have lunch in the cafeteria. Of course you must walk in front of what was then the paint room in order to reach the cafeteria. Upon seeing the small unobtrusive brick building, Merryl turns to me and makes the statement, "You know, I think that building would make a great coffee house." Well of course at that moment I knew that the coffee house was meant to be.

From conception to construction and then to opening for the public, the span of time was a few months over a year, and that is incredible speed when viewed in the scheme of things. The first step of the project was to involve the SGA. Because of my being president, getting their support was key. We all met and discussed the pros and cons, as well as the impact of creating a coffee house on the Hattiesburg campus. At a dinner meeting at the home of the Chancellor, we revealed our plan and proposal. From that point on Dr. Edwards became a key player and supporter in the creation of the coffee house. We began making phone calls to various establishments to research costs, products, venders; you name it, we called to find out about it. The task became very large, so a coffee house task force was formed. It was made of administration, faculty, staff, and students in order to involve all groups on campus. As sub-groups we addressed issues such as deco, policies and staffing. This lead to further conversations with the top administrators of the college and the writing of a detailed proposal by Shannon Robert and Merryl Taylor. The next step was to involve maintenance in researching renovation costs. Construction was handled almost entirely by our talented maintenance staff.

Another big break was the closing of a well known steak house in Jackson. Dr. Edwards, J.C. Hon, and Steve Spinks and I attended an auction of the restaurant property. With the purchasing power of the college behind us, we were able to buy many of the furnishings now found in the coffee house from the front doors to the counter itself. After that, the rest was a matter of construction and contacts to suppliers. Well, maybe a little more work was left to be done...



A well stocked Coffee House.

Savour your coffee on the patio.

A great place for friends.

Many thanks are due to our talented maintenance crew.

What stress?

Beautiful oak doors welcome you inside.

William Carey College i
known as the College o
Choice: chosen by studen
who desire to study and lear
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tion of ideas.

Dag Hammarskjold said,
"We are not permitted t
choose the frame of our des-
tiny. But what we put into i
is ours."

My prayer is that you hav
filled your frame with choice
that give your life meaning.

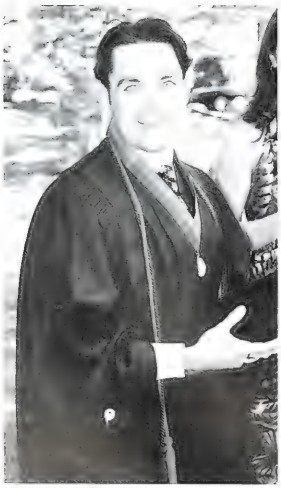
Dr. James W. Edward

GRADUATION 1997

The graduating class of 1997.

Getting ready...

Dave looks ready. Micah's been ready. uh...Chase?

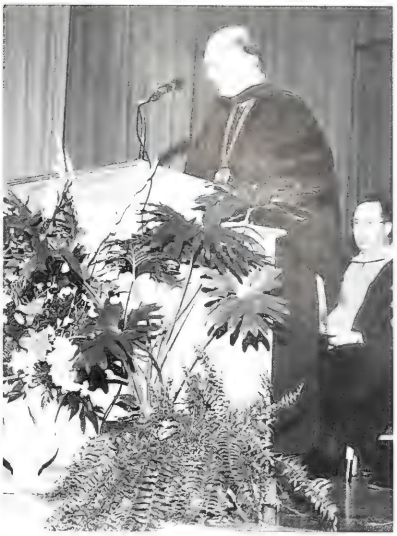


Hallelujah! Tim Walker has been waiting for this day for a long time!

Stunned!

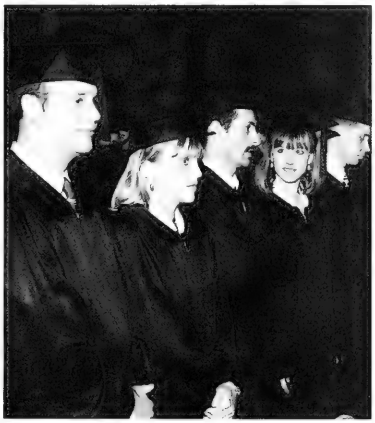
No signs of stage fright here!

President Rory Lee and 4.0 graduate Cindy Glaze.



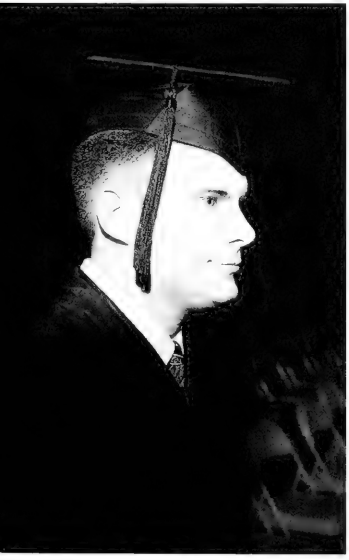
Chancellor Jim Edwards delivers the welcome address.

John Miller delivers the keynote address.

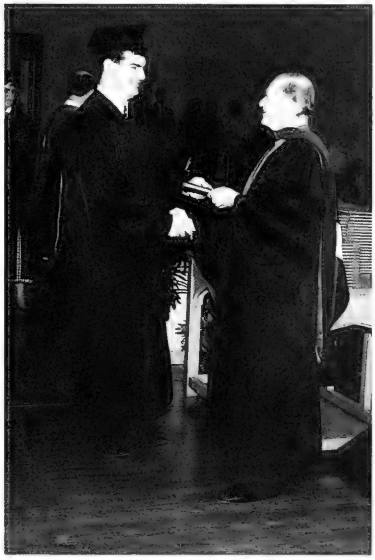


The eager graduates await their turn.

A future graduate of WCC?



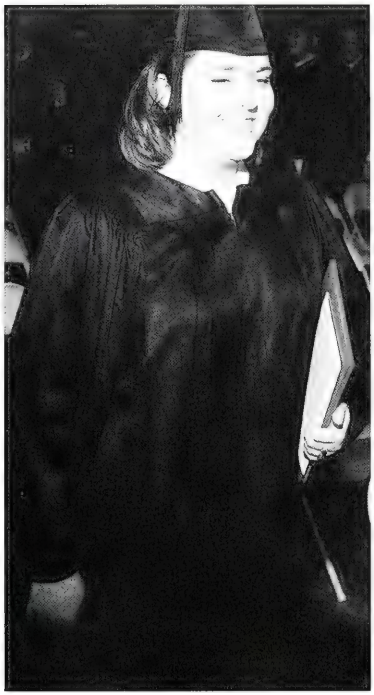
A fine example of the Carey graduate.



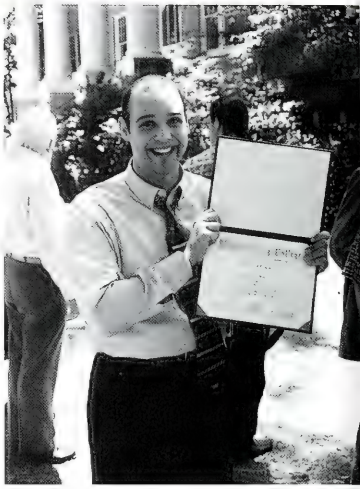
Dave Dowdy receives his diploma from Dr. Edwards.

Shannon Clark receives congratulations from his friends.

JoAnn Williams is one happy woman after graduation.



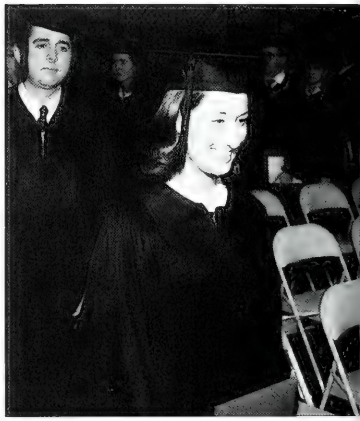
We knew you could do it, Paula Anglin!



Shannon - Show me the diploma!

Bravo, Jamie Jackson! Take a bow!

A beardless John Miller graduates.



A happy Judy Bullock "recesses" after the cer emony.

Sheryl Williams and JoAnn Williams eagerly await the diploma.

Atta boy Frank!

A happy Suzanne Medlin smiles for a post graduation picture.

Amber Matthews and Neil Marsh hang on every word at graduation.

Holly Heam and Amber Matthews pose for one last picture together.

I graduated and I can still operate this camera!

Dr. Wheeler gives one last lesson before Frank and David leave.

Hey y'all-we did it!

Jerry Corley and Micah Rutland are rather calm for recent grads.

Another wonderful performance! Is there an encore?

Crusader Staff

Staff members take a much needed break.

Summers Dunnaway, Music/Theatre Editor

Callie Carruth, Assistant Editor

Trinia Blackman, Clubs Editor

Judy Bullock, Student Life Editor

Lee Stauter, Photography Editor

Tammy Williams, Sports Editor

Merryl Taylor, Sponsor

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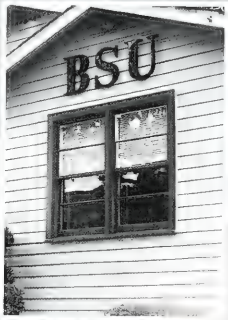
ON THE COAST

The Administration Building (left) is the first impression of WCCC in Gulfport, MS.

The Baptist Student Union (below) is a hang-out for students from all over the globe.

These are both beautiful scenes on campus, but what really makes Carey on the Coast special?.....



...the friends....

...the fun...

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What makes Carey on the coast so special? Take a look through these pages and you'll realize that it's the friends, the fun, the faculty and, of course, the family.

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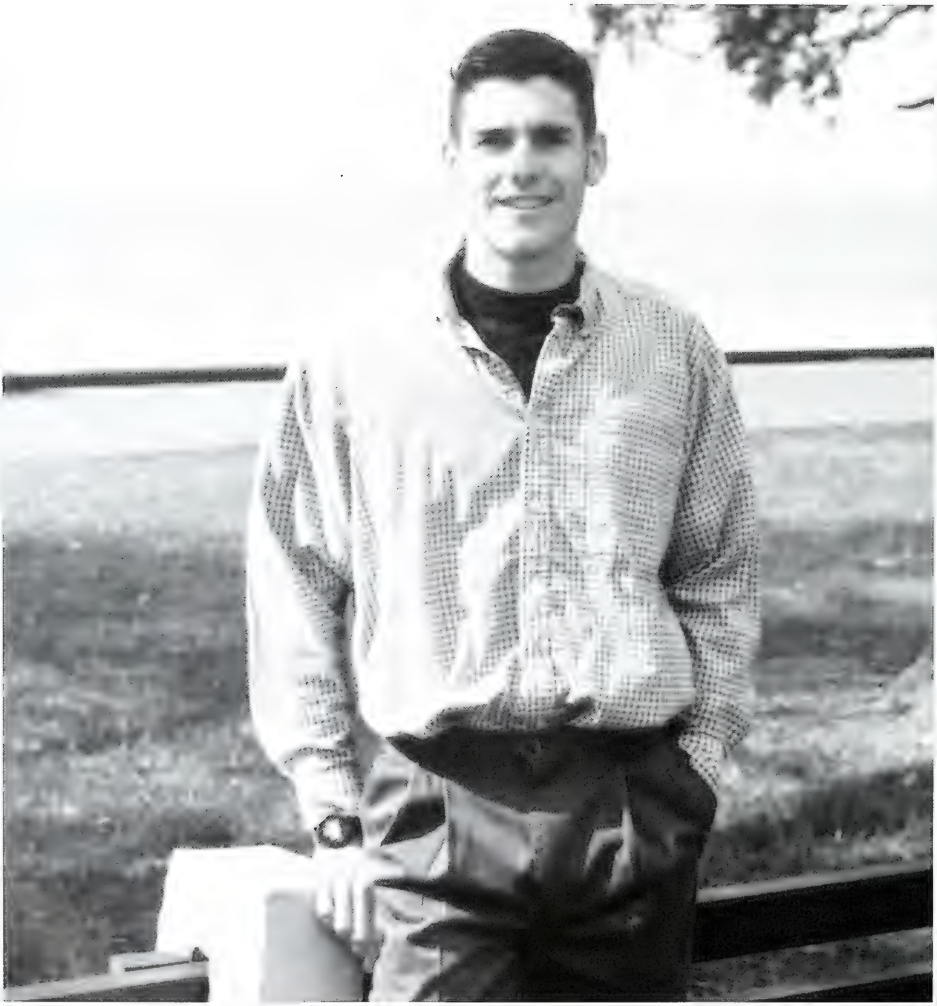

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WCCC Beauties

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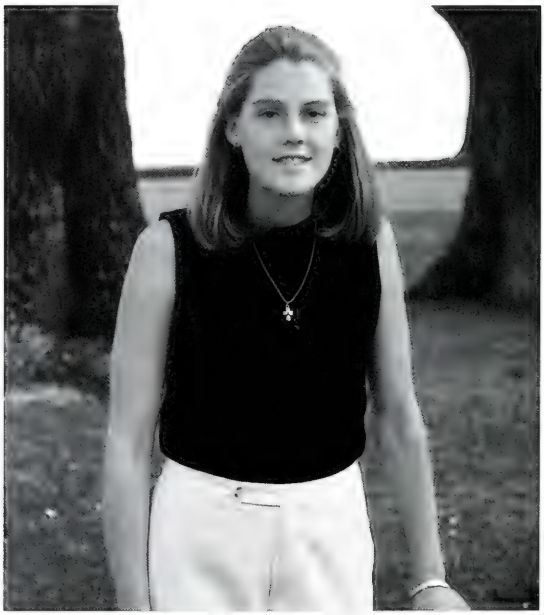

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Mathieu Amgwerd

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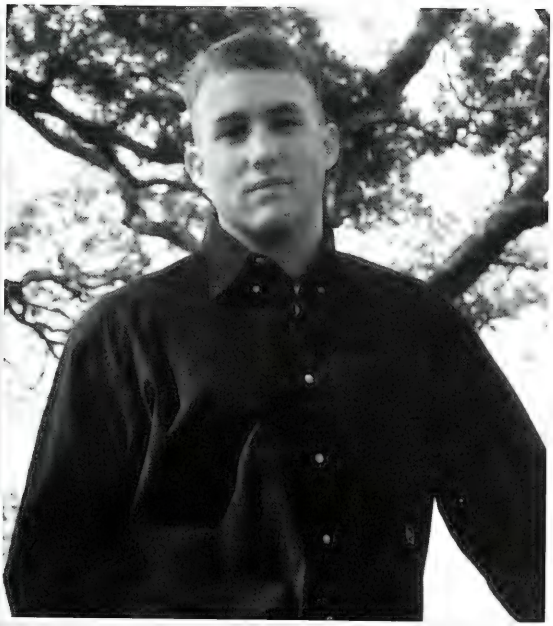

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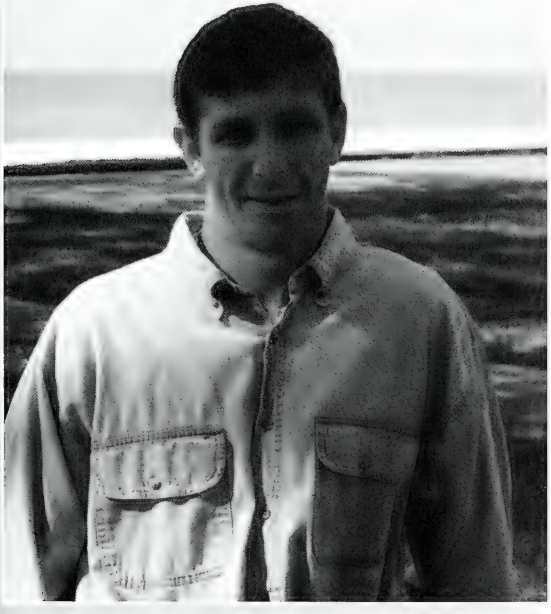

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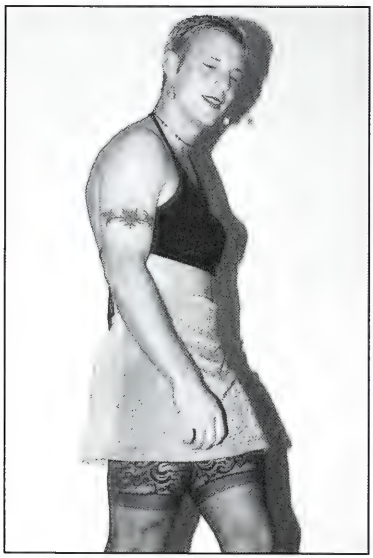
Frank Smith

Champion

ACME



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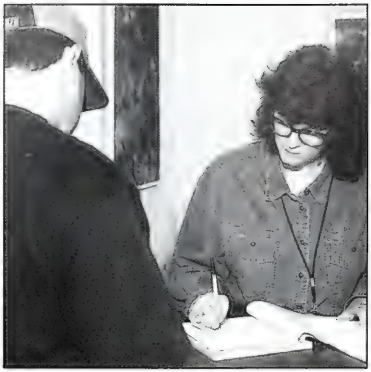

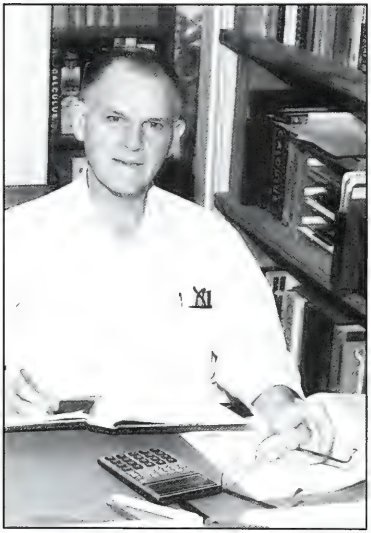

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Zeta Omega Art Fraternity

Psychology Club

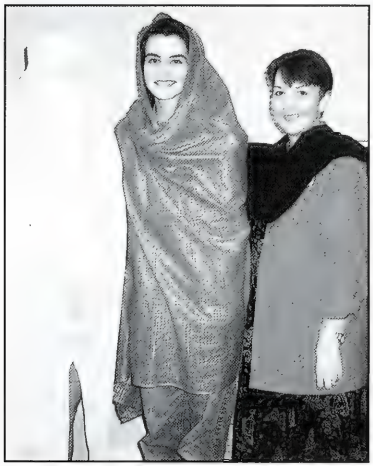
Student Nurses Association

BSU!

Baptist Student Union Council members (right) with some of the regular BSU crowd on the porch of the BSU House.

Below left: A demonstration of traditional women's clothing in other countries.

Below right: BRRR! Skiing in SaltLake City Utah on a day off during Spring Mission.



Left: Picture Opportunity while touring Salt Lake City.

Right: Even Jason got tired during the mission trip to Salt Lake City!

SGA!

The Student Government Association is one of the most active groups on campus.

Above: Members of the council spell it out.

Left: SGA Council members pose with "Bones" on the staircase.

Below: SGA members volunteer their time for community service projects like the Beach Clean-Up.

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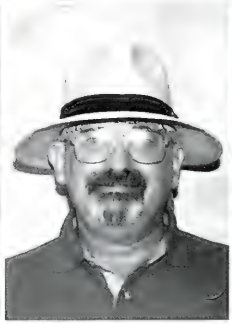
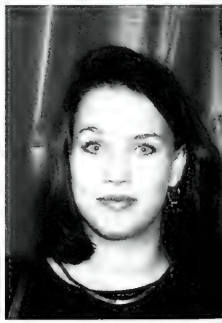

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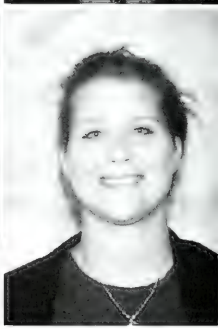

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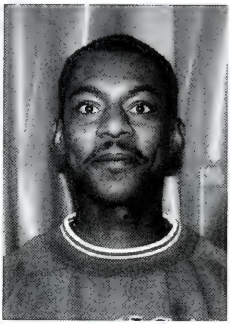

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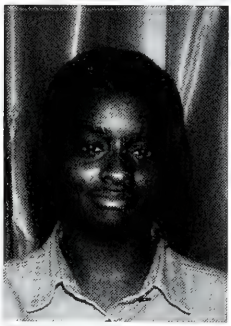

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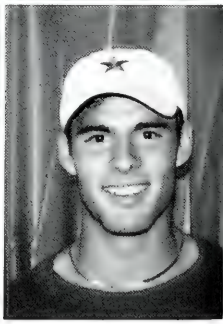

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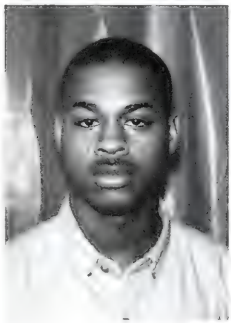

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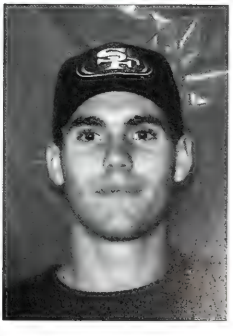

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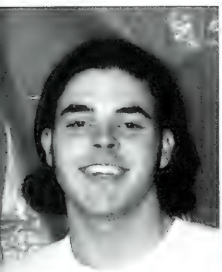

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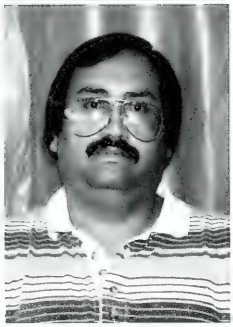

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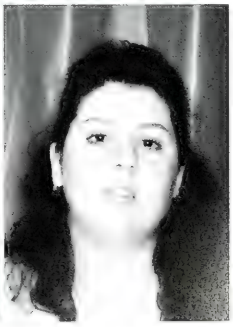

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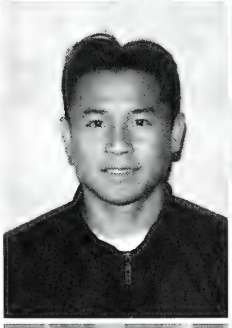

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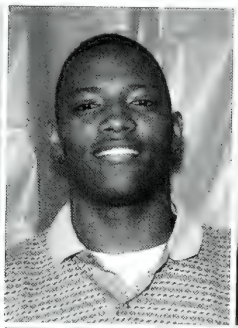

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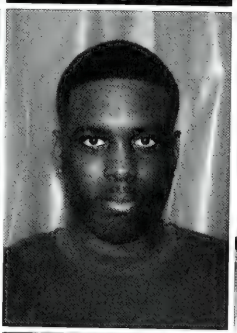

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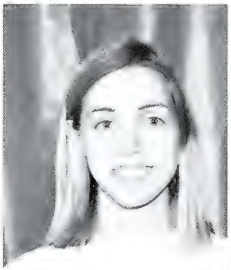

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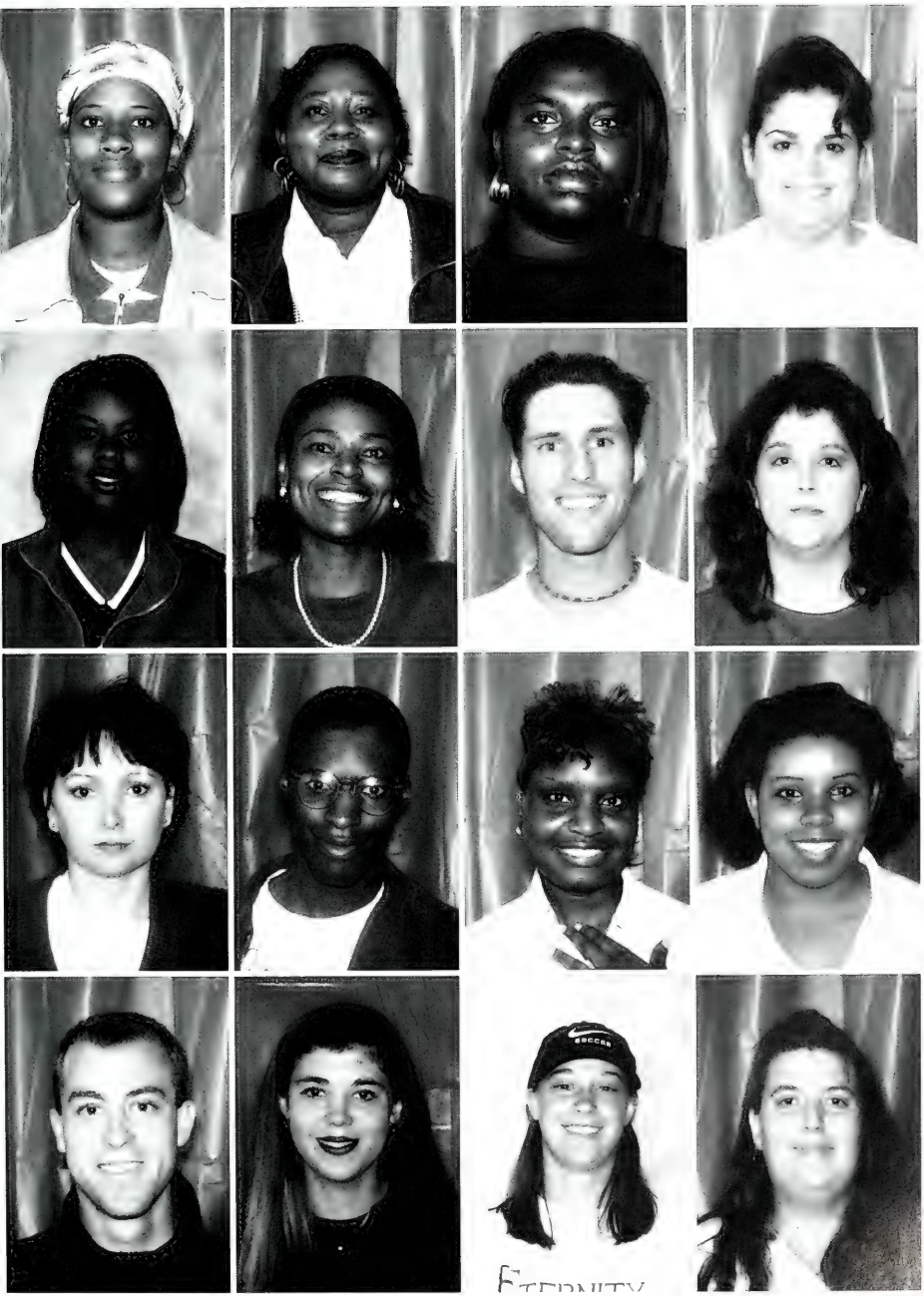

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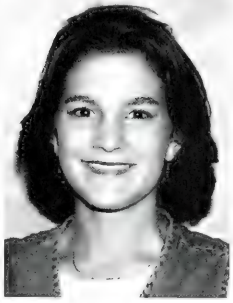

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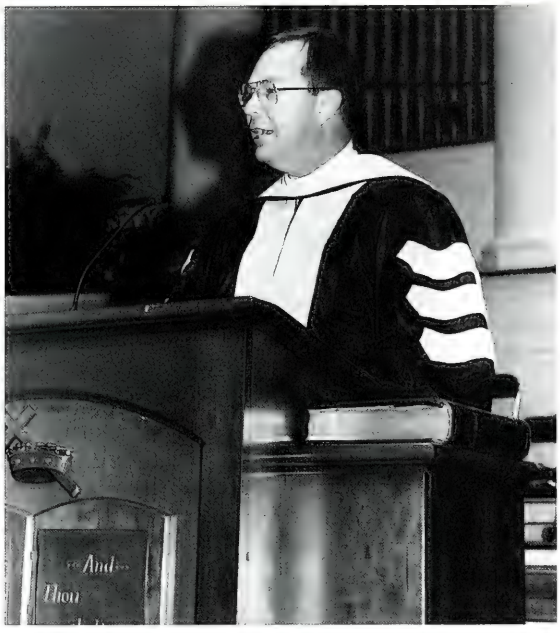

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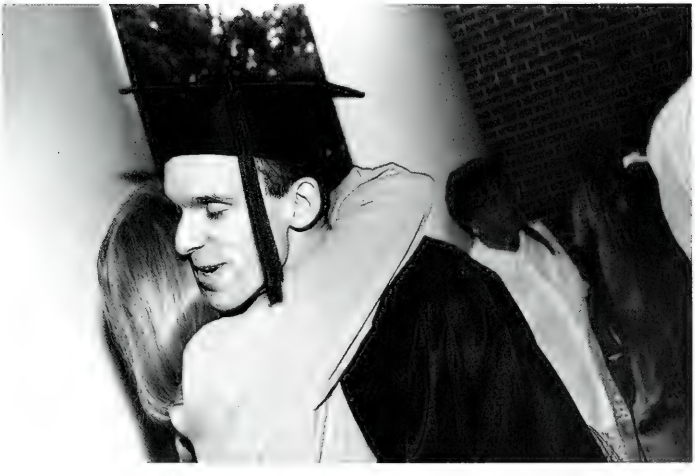

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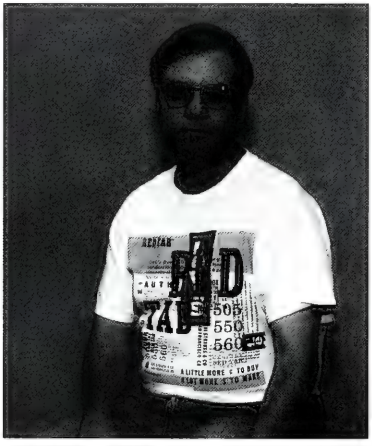

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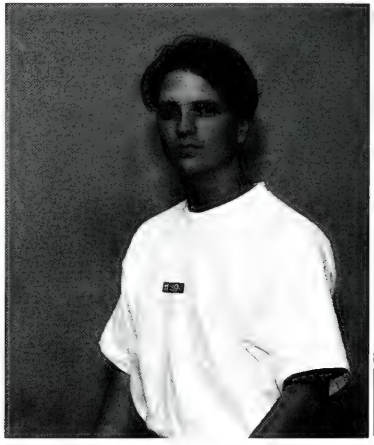

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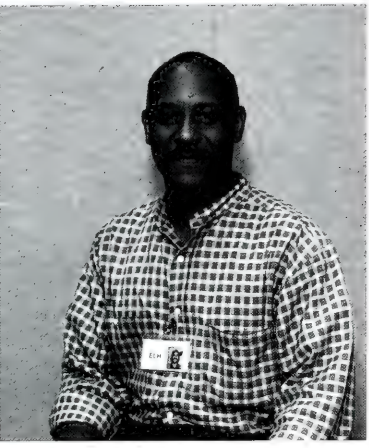

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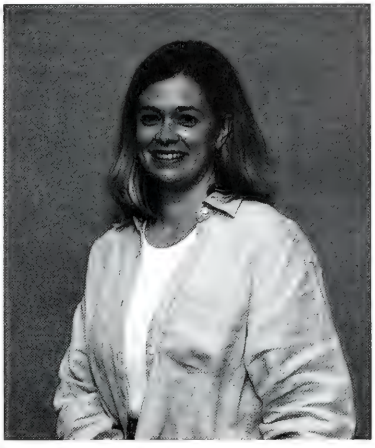

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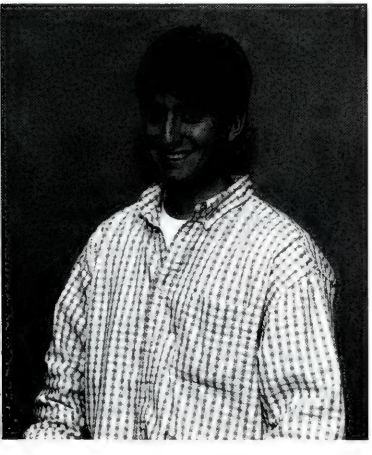

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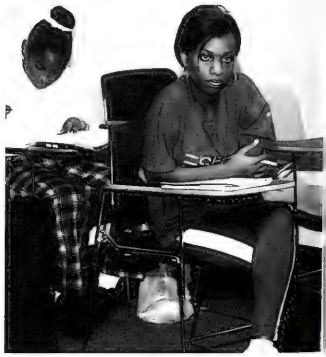
Nursing students hard at work.

Looks like a wonderful lecture on smooth muscles.

It's so easy to cheat off some people.

What a great class!



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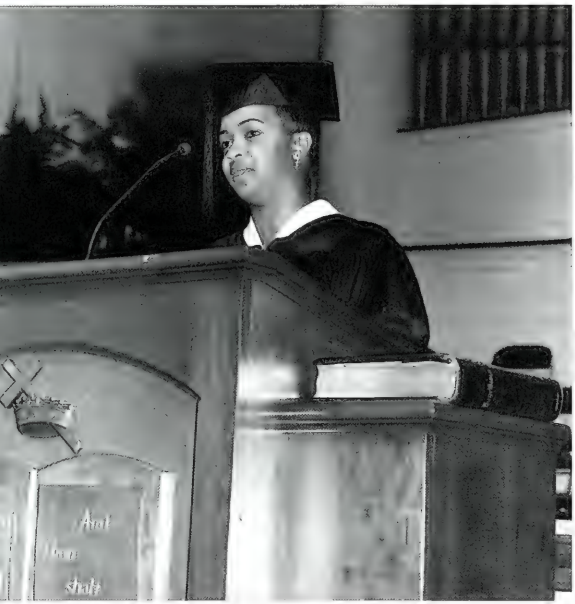

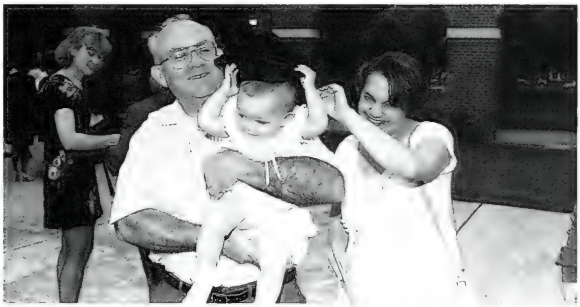

Editor's Page

Well, it's that time already! It seems like just yesterday that we were trying to decide what to put in this book and now we're trying to get this book to you. This past year as editor has been wonderful, hectic, long, short, exciting, frustrating...but I don't know that I would change a minute of it. It has been a great pleasure editing this yearbook and there are many people who deserve great thanks:

Merryl Taylor...You've done a great job encouraging me and if it weren't for you I don't think a finished product would exist. You are a friend that I will treasure always and if you ever need someone to play darts with-call me.

Lee Stauter...I don't think there are words to say Thank You enough for all that you've done. If you had not been a part of this team the yearbook would not exist. You also did a wonderful job of listening when I got frustrated and I greatly appreciate your willingness to stick around until the very end. Thanks Punkinhead!

And last but by no means least...My staff. You guys are the greatest! Your willingness and eagerness to learn and do whatever it took to meet deadlines, gather information or just hang out. Everything that happened this year was taken in stride and we dealt with it and we grew closer together because of it. I count you as some of my nearest and dearest friends, you will always be special to me.

There are many more who deserve thanks but there is not room enough, that would require another whole book. However, it is my hope that you enjoy this book and that it will become a great treasure to you in the coming years and that William Carey College will be a fond memory.

Your 1996-97 CRUSADER Editor

Amanda M. Blackwell

Everybody can be great..because anybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and verb agree to serve. You only need a heart full of grace. A soul generated by love.
Martin Luther King Jr.

On January 20, 1997 a great friend and person left this world. Leslie Johnson was on her way back to school to go out with some friends when her car flipped. She died instantly. Leslie was many things to many people; she was a daughter, a friend, a sister, a granddaughter, a student. To me Leslie was a great inspiration. She was the Assistant Editor of this yearbook, despite the fact that she had never worked on a yearbook in her whole entire life. Her willingness to learn and to be taught by one of her peers is a lesson that we all should learn. Her infectious joy motivated me and the staff. She so much wanted to see the annual staff become a unit tied to each other through love and shared experiences. If she were here now she would be greatly pleased and probably insist upon a hug! Leslie had a heart full of grace and a soul generated by love. She loved all and she was loved. She will be greatly missed but her presence will live on through everything she touched.

And you now have sorrow: but I will see you again, and your heart will rejoice...John 16:22

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